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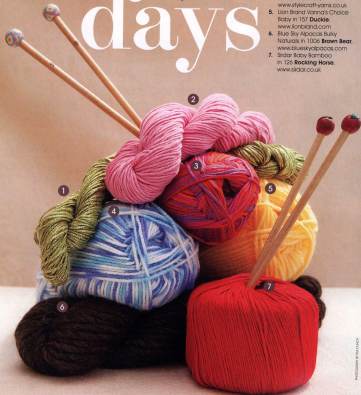
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Knit your way to toy town with these classics for kids.

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New season's yarns

Sue Pearce tries out the coming season's newest offerings



1. Sirdar Dots 2. Javelin Style Creative Fine 3. Kollig Milky Way 4. Rio Design Essentials Soft Marine Aran 5. KB Knitting Cotton Tussled
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Rico Design
Kids Classic Aran

A new yarn for autumn 2010. This man-made blend of fibres feels just like a pure wool and is lovely and soft to handle. It knits to a tension of 18 sts and 24 rows to 10cm and will knit to all standard Aran weight patterns. The yarn is easy to knit with, has good stitch definition and elasticity and is perfect for kids' knits. It is a durable, machine washable yarn that is non-itchy. Kids Classic Aran comes in 15 shades that include timeless classics like navy, red and ecru and some contemporary additions including the bright pink shown in the knitted sample. Pattern support is available in the Rico magazine 'Rico Kids'.

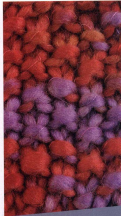
Composition: 50% acrylic, 50% polyamide
Weight: 50g
Length: 115m
Rec needle size: 5mm
RPP: £2.35
Contact: Rico Design,
Stash Fine Yarns,
4 Goddall Lane,
Chester, CH1 1UN
Tel: 01244 389370
Website: www.celticave.com



Anchor Style
Creative Fino

Creative Fino is designed primarily as a crochet yarn but will also knit as a standard 4ply with a tension of 28 sts and 34 rows using 3mm needles. It is a silky mercerised cotton that knits up with a crisp and well defined texture, perfect for summer knits, children's garments and accessories. Pattern support of crochet designs for children is available in 'Fun of the Beach', a booklet full of colourful ideas for younger children including a crochet summer dress and wraparound ballet top. Creative Fino is available in 30 bright summery shades. The knitted sample is shown in shade 01329. Machine washable.

Composition: 100% mercerised cotton
Weight: 50g
Length: 125m
Rec needle size: 2.5-3mm
RPP: Approximately £1.99
Contact: Coats Crafts UK,
Green Lane Mill,
Holmfirth,
West Yorkshire,
HD9 2DX
Tel: 01484 681881
Website: www.coatscrafts.co.uk



Sirdar Indie

Indie is a new superchunky yarn for autumn 2010, described on the label as a 'lot of colours in every ball', which pretty much sums it up. Indie is a lovely, soft, blended yarn that is twisted with a fine thread and knits into a light, slightly textured fabric. The rich shades merge into each other at random to create a colourful garment. It comes in a palette of eight shades. The knitted sample is shown in shade 152 Arizona. Indie is very quick to knit with a tension of 8 sts and 12 rows to 10cm and supporting patterns are available from Sirdar. Machine washable on a cool cycle.

Composition: 51% wool, 49% acrylic
Weight: 50g
Length: 43m
Rec needle size: 12mm
RPP: £3.35
Contact: Sirdar Spinning Ltd,
Ranshow Lane,
Walesfield,
West Yorkshire
WF2 9ND
Tel: 01924 371 501
Email: enquiries@sirdar.co.uk
Website: www.sirdar.co.uk



KB Knitting Cotton Tweed

KB Knitting (formerly The Knit Box) is based in Turkey but ships worldwide and the prices are in sterling. Again, the owner, has sourced the yarns locally using the best Turkish cotton. Cotton Tweed is a fabulous pure cotton made from a blend of matt cotton plied with a silky coloured thread to give a gleaming sparkle. Using smaller needles it knits up into a lovely dense fabric with a scrunchy feel and unique appearance. It's a beautiful yarn for knitting party shugs and shales or cool, crisp summer tops. There is no recommended tension on the label, but using 3mm needles my swatch came out of 26 sts to 10cm giving a firm knit with good elasticity. Use the larger steel needles for a lacy effect. Cotton Tweed is available in five luscious shades with names good enough to eat. This sample is shown in 'Golden Syrup'. Machine washable on a gentle cycle.

Composition: 100% cotton
Weight: 100g
Length: 330m
Rec needle size: 3-5mm
RRP: £4.50
Contact: KB Knitting, Kocaeli, Turkey
Email: theknitbox@hotmail.com
Website: www.theknitbox.com



Kollage Milky Whey

Milky Whey is a gorgeous, soft, cotton with a gleaming lustre. It knits up evenly with good stitch definition to a tension of 24 sts and 32 rows to 10cm (after washing). Kollage recommend washing and drying the tension swatch before starting a project as the yarn will relax a bit after the first wash. It is a lovely yarn to handle and would be perfect for baby garments or soft, cool summer tops. The colour palette is made up of 15 subtle shades and the knitted sample is shown in shade 7601 Banana. Pattern support is available for ladies' summer tops and a shawl. Hand washing and flat drying is recommended.

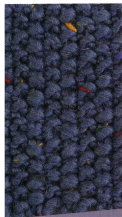
Composition: 50% milk, 50% soy
Weight: 50g
Length: 125m
Rec needle size: 3.5mm
RRP: Approximately \$6.95
Contact: Kollage, KCG Trading Ltd, PO Box 145, Leeds, LS8 2WS
Tel: 0113 266 4651
Email: kcgtrading@hotmail.com
Website: www.kcgtrading.com



Rico Design Essentials Soft Merino Aran

Another new yarn from Rico Design for autumn 2010, Essentials Soft Merino Aran is a sublimely soft, rounded yarn that knits up beautifully and is machine washable. It has a tension of 18 sts and 24 rows to 10cm, which is the same as a standard Aran weight and knits up with a very even tension and clear stitch definition. Pattern support is available in the Rico magazine No. 13. Essentials Soft Merino Aran comes in a range of 24 classic shades, predominantly dark with splashes of colour in orange, red and fuchsia. The sample is shown in Petaschip.

Composition: 100% merino superwash
Weight: 50g
Length: 100m
Rec needle size: 5mm
RRP: £3.50
Contact: Stitch Fine Yarns, 4 Godstall Lane, Chester, CH1 1UN
Tel: 01244 389310
Website: www.celticcove.com



**Sublime Chunky
Merino Tweed**

Sublime Chunky Merino Tweed is a gorgeous new yarn with a handspun feel. It's very soft to handle and knits up quickly and easily. It looks great in a textured or cable stitch for warm rustic knits and the rich shades are enhanced with colourful tweed flecks. There are ten colours in the range and the knitted sample is shown in shade 234 Cuckoo. With 80m to a 50g ball it is a lightweight chunky with a tension of 14 sts and 19 rows to 10cm. This knits up into cosy garments that don't weigh you down. Pattern support is available in the latest Sublime pattern book. Hand-washing is recommended.

Composition: 80% merino wool, 10% viscose, 10% acrylic
Weight: 50g
Length: 80m
Rec needle size: 6.5mm
RSP: £5.30
Contact: Sublime, Flanshaw Lane, Wakefield, West Yorkshire WF2 9ND
Tel: 01924 369566
Email: contactus@sublimeyarns.com
Website: www.sublimeyarns.com



Rowan Purelife Renew

Renew is the second yarn in Rowan's Purelife recycled range. It is a twist of recycled yarns in subtle variegated shades giving a lovely flecked appearance when knitted. It knits up quickly with a tension of 14 sts and 20 rows to 10cm and creates a light, soft garment with a firm texture and good elasticity. Pattern support for garments and accessories come in the new book 'Purelife Autumn'. The yarn is available in a palette of eight rustic shades and the knitted sample is shown in shade 663 Pick Up. Hand washing is recommended in cool water.

Composition: 93% recycled wool, 7% polyamide
Weight: 50g
Length: 75m
Rec needle size: 6mm
RSP: £4.95
Contact: Rowan Yarns, Green Lane Mill, Holmfirth, West Yorkshire, HD9 2DX
Tel: 01484 681 681
Email: mail@knitrowan.com
Website: www.knitrowan.com



Rowan Silk Twist

Silk Twist is a new yarn for autumn 2010. This luxurious blend is a twist of silk, wool and mohair that knits up with a silky shimmer and soft hazy aura. One strand is a slightly darker shade than the other giving a superb depth of colour when knitted. It looks equally good in textured stitches or plain stocking stitch. Silk Twist is available in ten rich, earthy shades. The sample is shown in 669 Mahogany. It knits to a tension of 17 sts and 22 rows to 10cm. Pattern support is available in the new Rowan book 'Silk Twist Classics' with 18 designs for garments and accessories by Martin Storey. Hand washing in cool water is recommended.

Composition: 63% silk, 30% wool, 12% superfine mohair, 5% polyamide
Weight: 50g
Length: 85m
Rec needle size: 5mm
RSP: £6.95
Contact: Rowan Yarns, Green Lane Mill, Holmfirth, West Yorkshire, HD9 2DX
Tel: 01484 681 681
Email: mail@knitrowan.com
Website: www.knitrowan.com



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Lucky Stripe Scarf by Amy Butler

YARN

Belle Organic DK

A Indigo	001	3 x 50gm
B Moonflower	013	2 x 50gm
C Cornflower	002	2 x 50gm
D Periwinkle	004	2 x 50gm
E Robin's Egg	014	2 x 50gm

NEEDLES

1 pair 4mm (no 6) [US 6] needles

TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm measured over 4st using 4mm [US 6] needles.

FINISHED SIZE

Completed scarf measures approx 244cm (96in) long and approx 28cm (11in) wide.

NOTES

Intarsia

The simplest way to do this is to cut short lengths of yarn for each motif or block of colour used in a row. Then joining in the various colours at the appropriate point on the row, link one colour to the next by twisting them around each other where they meet on the wrong side to avoid gaps. All ends can then either be darned along the colour join lines, as each motif is completed or then can be 'knitted-in' to the fabric of the knitting as each colour is worked into the pattern. This is done in much the same way as

'weaving-in' yarns when working the Fairisle technique and does save time darning-in ends. It is essential that the tension is noted for Intarsia as this may vary from the stocking stitch if both are used in the same pattern.

MAIN SECTIONS (make 2)

Using 4mm [US 6] needles and yarn A cast on 76 sts.

Work in g st for 4 rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Using the intarsia technique as described in the notes, now work in chevron stripe patt as follows:

Row 1 (RS): Using yarn A K3, inc in next st, K32, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, K31, inc in next st, K4.

Row 2: Using yarn A K3, P70, K3.

Rows 3 to 6: As rows 1 and 2, twice.

Row 7: Using yarn A K3, using yarn B inc in next st, K32, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, K31, inc in next st, K1, using yarn A K3.

Row 8: Using yarn A K3, using yarn B P70, using yarn A K3.

Rows 9 and 10: As rows 7 and 8.

Row 11: Using yarn A K3, using yarn C inc in next st, K32, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, K31, inc in next st, K1, using yarn A K3.

Row 12: Using yarn A K3, using yarn C P70, using yarn A K3.

Row 13: Using yarn A K3, using yarn D inc in next st, K32, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, K31, inc in next st, K1, using yarn A K3.

Row 14: Using yarn A K3, using yarn D P70, using yarn A K3.

Rows 15 and 16: As rows 13 and 14.

Row 17: Using yarn A K3, using yarn E inc in next st, K32, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, K31, inc in next st, K1, using yarn A K3.

Row 18: Using yarn A K3, using yarn E P70, using yarn A K3.

Rows 19 to 22: As rows 17 and 18, twice.

Rows 23 and 24: As rows 11 and 12.

Rows 25 and 26: As rows 1 and 2.

These 26 rows form chevron stripe patt.

Cont in patt until work meas 122 cm, ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape end

Keeping stripes correct, cont as follows:

Row 1 (RS): Cast off 3 sts, K until there are 33 sts on right needle, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, K33, cast off rem 3 sts. 68 sts.

Place marker between centre 2 sts of last row.

Row 2: P2tog, P to last 2 sts, P2tog.

Row 3: K to within 2 st of marked st, sl 1, K1, pssso, slip marker onto right needle, K2tog, K to end.

Row 4: P2tog, P to last 2 sts, P2tog.

Row 5: K2tog, K to within 2 st of marked st, sl 1, K1, pssso, slip marker onto right needle,

K2tog, K to last 2 sts, K2tog. 58 sts.

Rep last 4 rows 5 times more, ending with WS facing for next row. 8 sts.

Next row (WS): P2tog, P4, P2tog. 6 sts.

Next row: K1, sl 1, K1, pssso, K2tog, K1. 4 sts.

Next row: (P2tog) twice.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

MAKING UP

Press.

Pressing

Block out each piece of knitting and following the instructions on the ball band press the garment pieces omitting the ribs. Tip: Take special care to press the edges, as this will make sewing up both easier and neater. If the ball band indicates that the fabric is not to be pressed, then covering the blocked out fabric with a damp white cotton cloth and leaving it to stand will have the desired effect.

Join ends of main sections, taking care to match stripes. ●



Lucky Stripe

Scarf by Amy Butler is taken from her first collection for Rowan, *Midwest Modern Knits*





More stash than cash

This month **Erika Knight** uses up some assorted DK to make an elegant statement necklace

stash *v* 1 to store in a secret place for safe keeping, 2 (yarn) *n* an ever-growing collection of random yarn that WILL be used one day.



Sometimes it's nice to have a little project on the go that you can pick up and put down really easily, and that really does use up scraps from previous projects. There always seems to be a few little tightly wound balls of colour at the bottom of the stash bag, who knows where they came from, but this little project will put them to good use. Even scraps of net and ribbons from out of the 'bits box' left over from sewing and fancy dress trimmings can be utilised too!

This fashionable necklace is made in crochet motifs or alternately use the knitted flower motifs if you prefer, from last month's *Knitting* magazine.

Mixed denim is everywhere this summer so I chose tones of blues for this seasonal accessory to glam up your favourite jeans!

Erika Knight



Necklace pattern

Materials

Small scraps of coloured yarn
(I used scraps of Rowan Denim DK in
Morris and Tennessee, but alternatively use
all one colour or a selection of several colours
to match a floral print for another look)
3mm crochet hook
20cm of Tulle or any netting
1 metre of satin ribbon

Size

One size

Tension

Not critical

Abbreviations

ch – chain
sl st – slip stitch
dc – double crochet
tr – treble



htr – half treble
dtr – double treble
tr2tog – treble 2 together. Work 1 tr into
each of next 2 dc until 1 loop of
each remains on hook, yarn over
hook and pull through all 3 loops
on hook.
sp – space

Clockwork motif (Make 1)

Small circle with picot edge

Base ring: 8 chain, join with slip stitch

Round 1: 3 ch (count as 1 tr), 1 tr in ring.
*3 ch, sl st in top of last tr (one picot made),
2 tr in ring, repeat from * until 9th picot is
completed. Join with sl st in top of 3 ch.
Cast off leaving a long end for joining.

Petit point motif (Make 1)

Flower with six petals

Base ring: 6 ch, join with sl st.

Round 1: 1 ch, 12 dc into ring, sl st to first dc.

Round 2: 1 ch, [1 dc into next dc,
2 dc into next dc] 6 times, sl st to first dc.

Round 3: 1 ch, [1 dc into next dc, 3 ch,
miss 2 dc] 6 times, sl st to first dc.

Round 4: [1 dc, 1 htr, 1 tr, 1 dtr, 1 tr, 1 htr,
1 dc into next 3 ch sp] 6 times, sl st to first dc.
Cast off leaving a long end for joining.

Daisy (Make 2)

Flower with five petals

Base ring: 6 ch, join with a sl st.

Round 1: 1 ch, work 15 dc into ring,
sl st into first dc.

Round 2: [3 ch, tr2tog over next 2 dc,
3 ch, sl st into next dc] 5 times placing last
sl st into first dc of previous round.
Cast off leaving long end for joining.

Circles (Make 4)

Base ring: 12 ch and join with sl st.

Round 1: 1 ch, 18 dc in ring, sl st to first dc.
Cast off leaving long end for joining.

Assemble

Refer to photograph

On a flat surface lay out two layers of tulle,
one on top of the other. Lay petit point motif
on top of the tulle. Lay clockwork motif
above petit point motif. Place a circle motif
in a space top left and top right of petit point
motif slightly touching the picot edge of the
clockwork motif. Place flower motif either
side of clockwork motif top left and top right
and a circle motif either side of flower motif.
Pin the motifs into position and when you are
happy with the design layout stitch around the
motifs in turn through to the tulle layers.
Trim the tulle to outline the shape. Cut the
ribbon in half and thread each piece in turn
through circle motif at neck and sew down.
Tie in a decorative bow around your neck. ●

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Baby garter stitch hat

Measurements

Sizes	A	B	C	D
To fit head (approx)	21	25	30	35 cm
	8	10	12	14 in

We advise the first two sizes to be knitted for premature babies.

Materials

Paton Fairytale Dreamtime 4ply

1 x 50g ball

Hat pictured is in colour 2934 (pastel blue)

Use only the yarn specified - other yarn may give different results.

Quantities are approximate as they can vary between knitters. Be sure to check the ball bands to ensure all yarn is from the same dye lot.

Needles and extras

A pair 3.25mm (UK 10) (US 3)

knitting needles

A wool needle for sewing seams

Tension

27 sts and 55 rows to 10cm in garter st, using 3.25mm needles.

Please check your tension carefully.

If less sts use smaller needles, if more sts use bigger needles.

Abbreviations see page 83

HAT (worked sideways)

Using 3.25mm needles,

cast on 35(39;41;43) sts.

Knit 2 rows garter st.

Begin Turnings - When turning bring yarn to front of work, slip next st from left hand needle onto right hand needle, yarn back, slip st back onto left hand needle, turn and proceed as instructed.

This avoids holes in work.

**** 1st row (right side) - K25(29;31;33), turn.**

2nd row - Knit.

3rd row - K30(34;36;38), turn.

4th row - Knit.

5th row - Knit across all sts to end.

6th row - Knit. **

Rep from ****** to ****** until wider side edge measures approx 19(22;27;31) cm from beg, ending with a 6th row.

Cast off loosely knitways.

Make up

Using wool needle and mattress st seam, join cast-on and cast-off edges together to form centre back seam, reversing seam for approx 4cm at wider edge for brim.

Turn back brim.

Work a gathering thread at top of hat, draw up tightly and fasten off securely.

Sew in ends. ●

Top tips

- Knitted cardigans, blankets and hats all gratefully accepted
- Yarn used should be 4-ply
- All knitted products will be washed at 40 degrees and tumble dried, as per Infection Control Guidelines, so synthetic yarn is suitable.
- Giving home clothes are very useful - the first size cardigan (16cm) is a size that's difficult or expensive to buy in shops and parents really appreciate these.



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Dottie sweater by Sublime

SIZES

To fit: 81[86-91-97-102-107]cm
 (32[34-36-38-40-42]in)

Actual measurement:

81[86-91-97-102-107]cm (32[34-36-38-40-42]in)

Length to shoulder: 54[56-57-58-60-62]cm

(21[22-22.5-22.75-23.75-25]in)

Sleeve length: 31[33-33-33-33-34]cm

(12[13-13-13-13-13.5]in)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes: where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Sublime Cashmere Merino Silk DK

75% extra fine merino 20% silk

5% cashmere (approx 115m per 50g)

7[8-9-10-10-10] x 50g balls 195 5mm

1 pair each 3.25mm and 4mm needles

Stitch holder

Row counter

Stitch markers

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

22 sts and 28 rows to 10cm over st using 4mm needles

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

M-st = Moss stitch: k1, [p1, k1] to end.

Pat2tog = If 2nd stitch on left hand needle

is to be 'knit' then k2tog, if it is to be 'purl' then p2tog.

For more abbreviations see page 83

BACK

With 3.25mm needles cast on

89[95-101-107-113-119] sts.

Work 10 rows in m-st.

Change to 4mm needles.

Row 1 [RS]: Knit.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: (K5, p1), to last 5 sts, k5.

Row 4: Purl.

Row 5: Knit.

Row 6: Purl.

Row 7: K2, p1, (K5, p1) to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 8: Purl.

These last 8 rows form patt.

Work in patt for the rem of the Back as folls:

Work 2 rows in patt.

Next row (dec): K1, slko, patt to last 3 sts,

k2tog, k1. 87[93-99-105-111-117] sts.

Next row: Purl.

Work 19 rows dec 1 st as before

at each end of 9th and 19th row.

83[89-95-101-107-113] sts.

Work 13[15-15-15-15-17] rows straight.

Next row (inc): inc in next st, patt to last 2 sts,

inc in next st, k1. 85[91-97-103-109-115] sts.

Next row: Purl.

Work 23 rows inc 1 st at set of each end of

11th and 23rd row. 89[95-101-107-113-119] sts.

Work without further shaping until

back meas 33[34-34-35-36]cm

(13[13.5-13.5-13.5-13.75-14]in), finishing after

a purl row, with RS facing for the beg of

raglan shaping. Back should meas approx

41[43-46-49-51-54]cm

(16[17-18-19-20-21-22]in) across at this point.

Shape raglan

Cast off 6[6-7-8-8-8] sts in patt of beg of next

2 rows. 77[83-87-91-97-103] sts.

Next row: K1, slko, patt to last 3 sts,

k2tog, k1. 75[81-85-89-95-101] sts.

Next row: P1, p2tog, p1 to last 3 sts,

p2togtbl, p1. 73[79-83-87-93-99] sts.

Rep last 2 rows 1[0-0-0-0-0] times.

69[79-83-87-93-99] sts. **

Work 44[36-32-28-20] rows dec 1 st at set of

each end of 1st and every foll 4th row.

47[41-37-33-29-25] sts.

Work 6[2-2-2-2-2] rows dec 1 st at set of

each end of 1st and every foll 4th row.

39[39-39-41-41] sts.

Cast off row 39[39-39-41-41] sts in patt.

FRONT

Work as given for the Back to **.

Work 13[15-15-17-19-19] rows dec 1 st at set of

each end of 1st and every foll 4th row.

61[71-75-77-83-89] sts.

Place markers at each end of last row.

Next row: P5[3-5-6-2-5], p2tog,

[p2][7-7-7-9-9], p2tog 7 times, p5[3-5-6-2-5].

53[63-67-69-75-81] sts

Change to 3.25mm needles

Work 8 rows in m-st.

Cast off in m-st.

LEFT SLEEVE

Using 3.25mm needles cast on

53[53-59-59-61-61] sts and work 8 rows in m-st.

Change to 4mm needles and work in patt

for the rem of the sleeve as folls:

Row 1: Knit.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: K5[5-5-5-5-5], p1, (K5, p1) to last

5[5-5-5-5-5] sts, k5 [5-5-5-5-5].

Row 4: Purl.

Row 5: Knit.

Row 6: Purl.

Row 7: K2[2-2-2-3-3], p1, (K5, p1) to last

2[2-2-2-3-3] sts, k2[2-2-2-3-3].

Row 8: Purl.

These 8 rows form patt.

Work 27[27-41-41-57-57] rows inc 1 st at each

end of 3rd[3rd-5th-5th-3rd-1st] and every foll

4th[4th-4th-4th-4th-4th] row (there will be

5[5-5-5-5-5] rows straight between each

inc row). 63[73-73-73-81-87] sts.

Work 32[32-24-24-60] rows inc 1 st at each

end of every foll 8th[8th-8th-8th-8th-8th] row

(there will be 7[7-7-7-7-5] rows straight

between each inc row).

71[75-79-83-87] sts.

Work without further shaping until the

sleeve meas 31[33-33-33-34]cm

(12[13-13-13-13.5]in), finishing after

a purl row.

Shape raglan

Cast off 6[6-7-8-8-8] sts in patt of beg of

next 2 rows. 59[63-65-63-67-71] sts.

Next row: K1, slko, patt to last 3 sts,

k2tog, k1. 57[61-63-61-65-69] sts.

Next row: P1, p2tog, p1 to last 3 sts,

p2togtbl, p1. 55[59-61-59-63-67] sts.***

Work 16[16-16-20-20] rows dec 1 st at set of

each end of 1st and every foll 4th row.

47[51-53-51-53-57] sts.

For 4th size only

Next row: K1, slko, patt to last 3 sts,

k2tog, k1. [49] sts.

Next row: Purl.

For all 6 sizes

Shape left front neck

Place marker at beg of last row for lower

front neck edge.

Next row: (K1, slko) 1[1-0-0-0-0] times, patt to

last 2 sts, k2tog. 45[49-51-48-51-55] sts.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: (K1, slko) 0[0-0-0-0-0] times,

patt to last 2 sts, k2tog.

44[48-50-46-50-54] sts.

Next row: Purl.

Work 4[6-12-14-12-12] rows dec 1 st at raglan

edge in 1st[1st-1st-3rd-1st-1st] and every

fol 4th[4th-4th-4th-4th-4th] row AT SAME TIME

dec 1 st at neck edge in next and every

foll 4th of row. 41[43-41-36-41-45] sts.

For 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th and 6th sizes only

Work 8[10-12-8-4] rows dec 1 st at raglan

edge in 1st[3rd-1st-1st-1st] and every fol

at 14th/4th/4th/0 row AT SAME TIME dec 1 st at neck edge in every row.
31[31-21-31-42] sts.

For all 6 sizes

Work 14[14-22-6-14-20] rows dec 1 st at raglan edge in next and every foll alt row AT SAME TIME dec 1 st at neck edge in every row. 10[10-8-12-10-10] sts.

Work 7[7-5-9-7-7] rows dec 1 st at each end in next and every foll alt row. 2 sts.

Next row: P2tog. Fasten off.

RIGHT SLEEVE

Work as for Left Sleeve to ***.

Work 16[16-16-16-20-20] rows dec 1 st at set of each end of 1st and every foll 4th row.
47[51-53-49-53-57] sts.

For 4th size only

Next row: K1, slip, p2tog to last 3 sts.

K2tog, k1. [49] sts.

Next row: Purl.

For all 6 sizes

Shape right front neck

Place marker at end of last row for lower front neck edge.

Next row: K2tog, p2tog to last 3[3-3-0-3-3] sts.

[K2tog, k1] 1[1-1-0-1-1] times.

45[49-51-48-51-55] sts.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: K2tog, p2tog to last 0[0-0-3-0-0] sts.

[K2tog, k1] 0[0-0-1-0-0] times.

44[48-50-46-50-54] sts.

Next row: Purl.

Work 4[6-12-14-12-12] rows dec 1 st at neck edge in next and every foll alt row

AT SAME TIME dec 1 st at raglan edge

in 1st[1st/1st/3rd/1st/1st] and every foll

0[4th/4th/4th/4th/4th] row.

41[43-41-36-41-45] sts.

For 1st, 2nd, 4th, 5th and 6th sizes only

Work 8[10-12-8-4] rows dec 1 st at neck edge in every row AT SAME TIME dec 1 st at raglan edge in 1st[3rd/1st/1st/1st] and every foll

4th[4th/4th/4th/0] row. 31[31-21-31-40] sts.

For all 6 sizes

Work 14[14-22-6-14-20] rows dec 1 st at neck edge in every row AT SAME TIME dec 1 st at raglan edge in next and every foll alt row.

10[10-8-12-10-10] sts.

Work 7[7-5-9-7-7] rows dec 1 st at each end in next and every foll alt row. 2 sts.

Next row: P2tog. Fasten off.

NECKBAND

Join raglan seams of back and join lower front raglan seams to market.

With RS facing, using 3.25mm needles

starting at marker on right side of neck pick up and k3[8-40-40-42-44-46] sts evenly up

right side of neck. 32[33-33-35-35-35] sts

from 39[39-39-41-41-41] cast off sts of back of neck and 39[40-40-42-44-46] sts

evenly down left side of neck to marker.

109[113-113-119-123-127] sts.

Work 6 rows in m-1.

In m-1 cast off 8[10-10-9-11-13] sts, p2tog2tog,

cast off this st. [cast off 11[11-11-12-12-12] sts,

p2tog2tog, cast off this st] 7 times,

cast off rem 8[10-10-10-12-14] sts.

TO FINISH OFF

Join side and sleeve seams.

Place edges of neck band over front

band and sew in position.

Pin out garment to the meas given.

Cover with damp cloths and leave until dry.

See ball band for washing and further

care instructions. ●



All measurements are given in cm



30[33-33-33-33-34]



40.5[43-45-5-48.5-51-53.5]

64[66-67-68-69-70]

Instructions



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SIZES

To fit: 62-66/92-97/102-107/112-117cm

[32-34/36-38/40-42-44-46]in

Actual measurement: 96/109/131/144cm

[37.75/43.5/51.5/56.75]in

Length to shoulder: 55/57-59-61cm

[21.75/22.5/23.25/24]in

Width from cuff to cuff: 143/147-152-156cm

[56.25/58.5/59.75/61.5]in

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes: where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Sedar Flat 80% bamboo sourced viscose
20% wool (approx 95m per 50g)

7/7-8/8 x 50g balls 220 White Diamond (M)
6/6-7/8 x 50g balls 223 Burnished Bronze (A)
6/6-7/8 x 50g balls 226 Sassy Black (B)
1 pair each 3.25mm and 4mm needles
1 circular 4mm needle

Row counter

2 stitch holders

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

22 sts and 26 rows to 10cm over all st using 4mm needles

25 sts and 30 rows to 10cm over patt using 4mm needles

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS SEE PAGE 83

TIPS

Change to the 4mm circular needle when you find there are too many stitches to easily handle on the straight needles.
Work back and forth on the circular needle as if on straight needles.

PATTERN NOTES

Stripe pattern

4 rows A

4 rows B

4 rows M

Chevron pattern

Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2 (WS): Purl.

Row 3: K1[3:5:7] * [p2 tog] twice, (m1, k1)

3 times, m1, [p2tog] twice: rep from * to last

[3:5:7] sts, K1[3:5:7]

Row 4: Purl.

BACK, FRONT AND SLEEVES (WORKED AS ONE PIECE)

With 3.25mm needles and M cast on

98/110/126/138 sts

Row 1 (RS): K2, [p2, k2] to end.

Row 2 (WS): P2, [k2, p2] to end.

These 2 rows form the 2x2 rib.

Work a further 27 rows.

Next row (inc): Rib 1[1:1:1:1], (m1, rib 4)

24[27:28:29] times, m1, rib 1[1:1:1:1].

123[138:153:168] sts.

Change to 4mm needles and beg

chevron and stripe patt.

Cont in patt until work meas 31[32:33:34]cm

[12.25/12.75:13.13:13.5]in from cast on edge,

ending with a p row.

Shape sleeves

Change to 4mm circular needle

Cast on 11[9:7:5] sts at beg of next 2 rows

and 11 sts at beg of next 14 rows.

299[310:321:332] sts.

Cont straight until work meas 47[49:51:53]cm

[18.5/19.25:20.20:20.75]in from cast-on edge,

ending with a row 4.

Shape upper sleeves

Cast off 11 sts at beg of next 6 rows.

233[244:255:266] sts.

Shape neck

Next row: Cast off 11 sts, purl until there are 78 sts on the needles, turn, leaving rem sts on a spare needle.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: Cast off 11 sts, purl to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 4 times more and the first row again, 23 sts.

Next row: Purl.

Shape shoulder

Next row: Cast off 11 sts, purl to end.

Next row: Purl.

Cast off rem 12 sts.

With RS facing seign yarn to rem sts.

* [p2tog] twice, k1, (m1, k1) twice, [p2tog]

twice: rep from * 4[5:6:7] times more.

leave these 45[54:63:72] sts on a holder,

purl to end, 89 sts.

Next row: Cast off 11 sts, p to end.

Next row: Purl to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 5 times more.

23 sts.

Shape shoulder

Next row: Cast off 11 sts, p to end.

Next row: Purl to end.

Cast off rem 12 sts.

NECKBAND

Join right shoulder and upper sleeve seam.

With RS facing and 3.25mm needles, pick

up and k12 sts down left side of front neck,

45[54:63:72] sts from holder, pick up and

k12 sts up left side of front neck, 12 sts down

left side of back neck, 45[54:63:72] sts from

holder, pick up and k12 sts up left side of

back neck, 138[156:174:192] sts.

Row 1 (WS): Knit.

Row 2 (RS): K8, k2tog, k4, slip,

k37[46:55:64], k2tog, k4, slip, k16, k2tog,

k4, slip, k37[46:55:64], k2tog, k4, slip, k8,

130[148:166:184] sts.

Row 3: Knit.

Row 4: K7, k2tog, k4, slip, k36[44:53:62],

k2tog, k4, slip, k14, k2tog, k4, slip,

k35[44:53:62], k2tog, k4, slip, k7,

122[140:158:178] sts.

All measurements are given in cm



Instructions

Row 5: Knit

Row 6: K4, k2tog, k4, skpo, k33(42:51:60), k2tog, k4, skpo, k12, k2tog, k4, skpo, k33(42:51:60), k2tog, k4, skpo, k5, 114(132:150:168) sts.
Cast off.

CUFFS

Join neckband, left shoulder and upper sleeve seam.

With RS facing and 3.25mm needles, pick up and k50(54:62:66) sts along row ends of sleeves.

Row 1 (WS): K2, [p2, k2] to end.

Row 2 (RS): P2, [k2, p2] to end.

These 2 rows form the 2x2 rib.

Work a further 28 rows.

Cast off in rib.

TO FINISH OFF

Join cuff, underarm and side seams. ●



Beauty alpaca bolero and Gala alpaca skirt by Purl Alpaca Designs

BEAUTY ALPACA BOLERO

SIZES

To fit: 74/82-90/98-105)cm

(28.5/31.5-35.5-38.4)in

Actual measurement: 69(72:80:88.9)cm

(27.25/28.5-31.25-34.37.5)in

Length: 45.5/46.5-47.5-48.5-50.5)cm

(18/18.5-18.75-19.25-20)in

Sleeve length: 64/65-66-67.5)cm

(2.25/2.25-2.5-2.5-2.5)in

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes; where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Purl Alpaca Fine 100% Alpaca
jumper 110m per 50g
6(6:7:7) x 50g balls Autumn Light
1 pair each 3mm and 4mm needles
Tapestry needle
Scissors
2 small buttons
Row counter

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

20 sts and 29 rows to 10cm over st if using 4mm needles.

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

DcdDec = Decorative Double Dec (Sl 2 sts k-wise of the same time, k the next st, then pass the two slipped sts over the knitted stitch and off the needles)
Slk = Sl 1 st k-wise
Inc1 = [K1, p1] all into next st
Inc2 = [k1, p1, k1] all into next st

TIPS

As low end edges of lower back and fronts form the actual finished edges, avoid joining yarn at these points.

PATTERN NOTES

This garment is tight fitting and uses the natural stretch of the knit to fit. The front button of the top, and flares out. Should a looser fit be wanted, choose to make a larger size.

The back is worked in two pieces: first the flared lower panel which is worked horizontally, then the top panel which is picked up and worked vertically.

BACK

Lower Piece

Using 4mm needles cast on 41 sts.

Row 1 (WS): K27, p1, [k1, p1] to last st, p1.

Row 2 (RS): Slk, [p1, k1] 5 times, k1, p1, k to end.

Row 3: Rep row 1.

Row 4: Slk, [p1, k1] 5 times, k1, p1, k21, Sl next st p-wise to RH needle. Bring yarn to front.

Sl some st back to LH needle. Turn work and bring yarn in position for next st.

Row 5: K20, p1, [k1, p1] 5 times, p1.

Row 6: Rep row 2.

Row 7: Rep row 3.

Row 8: Slk, [p1, k1] 5 times, k1, p1, k11, Sl next st p-wise to RH needle. Bring yarn to front.

Sl some st back to LH needle. Turn work and bring yarn in position for next st.

Row 9: K10, p1, [k1, p1] 5 times, p1.

Rep rows 2-9, 28(29-32-35-40) times or

until top edge measures approx

33(34-35-39-54.5)cm

(13(13.5-14-15.5-17.5)in).

Rep rows 2-7 once more.

Cast off.

Upper piece

With RS facing and using 4mm needles, pick up 66[58:76:84:92] sts along top edge of lower piece.

Row 1 (WS): Purl.

Cont in st st for a further 6[8:10:12:14] rows ending with a WS row.

Work meas 24.5[25.25:5.26:27]cm

[9.75/10.10:25.10:25.10:75]in from hem edge.

Shape armhole

Cast off 3[4:4:4:5] sts at the beg of next 2 rows. 60[60:68:76:82] sts.

Next row (dec): Dec 1 st at each end of the next row and following 2[2:3:3:3] all rows, ending with WS facing for next row.

54[54:60:68:74] sts.

Work a further 4[7:4:9:5]:53:55] rows, or

until work meas 19[19.5:20:20.5:21.5]cm

[7.5/7.75:8.8:25.6.5]in from beg of

armhole shaping.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 4[6:6:7:8] sts at the beg of next 4 rows. 30[30:36:40:42] sts.

Cast off 6[6:7:7:8] sts at the beg of the next 2 rows.

Cast off rem 18[18:22:26:26] sts for center back neck.

RIGHT FRONT

With 4mm needles cast on 36[38:42:46:50] sts holding both larger needles together to ensure a looser cast on edge.

Row 1 (WS): [P1, K1] to last 4 sts, p2, k1, pl.

Row 2: S1k, iol, K1 to last st, k1.

Rep rows 1 & 2 until a total of 18 rows have been worked. Work meas 6cm [2.5]in.

Next row (WS): P1, k to last 3 sts, pl, k1, pl.

Next row: S1k, pl, k to end.

Next row: P1, k to last 3 sts, pl, k1, pl.

Rep last two rows once more to complete g-4 rows on border.

Next row (RS): S1k, pl, k1, pl, k to end.

Next row: P to last 4 sts, k1, pl, k1, pl.

Rep last two rows until work meas

24.5[25.25:5.26:27]cm

[9.75/10.10:25.10:25.10:75]in ending with a RS row.

Shape armhole

Next row: Cast off 3[4:4:4:5] sts, k to end.

23[34:38:42:45] sts.

Next row (dec): Dec 1 st at end of next row and foll 2[2:3:3:3] all rows.

30[31:34:38:41] sts.

Cont straight for 20[20:22:22:24] rows.

Work meas approx 7[7.7:5:7.5:8]cm

[2.75/2.75:3:3:25]in from beg of

armhole shaping.

Make buttonholes

Next row (RS): S1k, p2tog, yo, pl, k to end.

Work a further 5 rows in st st maintaining border as set.

Next row (RS): S1k, p2tog, yo, pl, k to end.

Work 1 row.

Shape neckline

Cast off 4 sts at beg of next and foll RS row.

22[23:26:30:33] sts

Cast off 2[2:4:4:4] sts at beg of next RS row.

20[21:22:26:29] sts

Next row (dec): Dec 1 st at beg of next and 2[3:3:5:5] foll RS rows.

18[18:19:21:24] sts rem.

Work meas 19[19.5:20:20.5:21.5]cm

[7.5/7.75:8.8:25.6.5]in from beg of

armhole shaping.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 4[6:6:7:8] sts at the beg of the next 2 WS rows.

Cast off rem 6[6:7:7:8] sts.

LEFT FRONT

Follow instructions as per right side, reversing all shapings and omitting instructions for buttonholes.

SLEEVES

Using 3mm needles cast on

54[58:64:66:70] sts.

Work in k1, pl rib for 6 rows.

Change to 4mm needles.

Next row (inc): [K2(5:5:4:4), *Inc1,

K5(3:3:2:2), rep row * 8[7:11:10:22] times,

*Inc1, K3(4:4:3:3), rep row * 0[5:3:8:0] times.

62[70:78:84:92] sts.

Begin with a p row cont in st, work a further 3 rows.

Next row (inc): Inc 1st on this and foll

4th row. 66[74:82:88:96] sts

Work a further 3[3:5:5:7] rows ending with a WS row.

Work meas 6[6:6.5:6.5:7.5]cm

[2.5/2.5:2.75:2.75:3]in from cast on edge.

Shape sleeve cap

Cast off 3[4:4:4:5] sts at the beg of next 2 rows.

Next row (dec): Dec 1 st at each end of this and foll 2[2:3:3:3] all rows, ending with WS

facing for next row. 54[60:66:72:78] sts.

Work in st st for a further 27[29:31:33:35] rows ending on a WS row.

Next row (RS): K39[45:51:57:63] sts, turn work.

Row 1: S1p, p2[28:34:40:46] sts, p2tog,

turn work.

Row 2: S1k, k22[28:34:40:46], sk, turn work.

Rep the last 2 rows until

30[36:42:48:54] sts rem.

Next row: S1p, p2[28:34:40:46], p2tog,

turn work.

Next row: S1k, k22[28:34:40:46], sk, k to end.

Next row: Purl.

Next row (RS): K2, k2tog, k to last 4 sts, sk, k2.

Next row: Purl.

Rep last 2 rows once more. 24[30:36:42:48] sts.

Next row: Gather top of sleevehead by

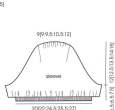
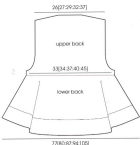
working Decorative Double Decs across

entire row.

Next row: Purl.

Cast off rem 8[10:12:14:16] sts.

Boilers measurement diagram • All measurements are given in cm



Instructions

COLLAR

Join shoulder seams.
Cast on 20 sts using 4mm needles.
Row 1 (RS): P16, k1, p1, k2.
Row 2: P2, k1, p1, [p3tog, inc2] to end.
Row 3: Rep row 1.
Row 4: P2, k1, p1, [inc2, p3tog] to end.
Rep these 4 rows until collar fits neck edge.
Cast off.

TO FINISH OFF

Join side seams and set in sleeves.
Attach collar. Fasten all loose ends.
Steam lightly paying particular attention to fronts, to ensure edges lie flat.
Attach buttons.

GAJA ALPACA SKIRT SIZES

To fit waist: 52/52-52/52-52cm

(20.5/24.5-28.5-32.5-36.25)in

To fit hip: 77/87-97/107-117cm

(30.5/34.25-38.25-42.25-46)in

Actual waist measurement:

52/58-68-78-88cm

(20.5/23-27-30.75-34.75)in

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes; where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.
The actual measurements are a guideline only. Before casting off, wrap the skirt around yourself, stretching slightly to fit, to get a good idea of the final result.

YOU WILL NEED
Yarn: Alpaca Fine 100% Alpaca
[approx 110m per 50g]
[10/11-13/14] x 50g balls Autumn Dawn
1 pair 4mm needles
Row counter
Cable needle
Scissors

Stitch markers

Tapestry needle

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

20 sts and 36 rows to 10cm over g-st using 4mm needles

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

Inc2 = (k1, p1, k1) all into next st

B-St Border = Blackberry Stitch Border (worked over 23 sts)

Row 1 (RS): P20, k1, p1, k1.

Row 2: P1, k1, p1, [p3tog, inc2] rep to end.

Row 3: As row 1.

Row 4: P1, k1, p1, [inc2, p3tog], to end.

Rep rows 1-4 for patt.

Cable 6 Front = Sl next 3 sts onto cable needle and place at front of work, k next 3 sts from LH needle, then k3 sts from cable needle

Cable 6 Back = Sl next 3 sts onto cable needle and place at back of work, k next 3 sts from LH needle, then k3 sts from cable needle

FOR MORE ABBREVIATIONS SEE PAGE 83

TIPS

To make skirt longer or shorter, inc or dec the number of sts cast on by 2 sts per cm. It is advisable to add or subtract sts evenly to each short row section of the skirt to keep shape as intended, i.e. to add 4cm extra length, cast on 8 extra sts, allowing for 2 extra sts in each section.

PATTERN NOTES

The skirt is worked sideways in a single piece with a seam at centre back.

SKIRT

With 4mm needles cast on 123 sts.

Set up row (WS): K100, p1, k1, p1, k to end.

Row 1 (RS): Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k to end.

Row 2 (WS): K100 sts, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Row 3: Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k25, sl next st p-wise to RH needle, bring yarn to front. Sl same st back to LH needle, turn work and bring yarn in position for next st.

Row 4: k25, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Row 5: Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k to end.

Row 6: K100, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Row 7: Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k50 sts, turn, using short row method as before.

Row 8: k50, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Row 9: Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k to end.

Row 10: K100, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Row 11: Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k25 sts, turn, using short row method as before.

Row 12: K75, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Row 13: Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k to end.

Row 14: K100, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Row 15: Work 23 sts of B-St Border, k50, turn, using short row method as before.

Row 16: k50, work 23 sts of B-St Border.

Rep these 16 rows a further 25[28-33-38-43] times, or until top edge of skirt fits waist.

Cast off loosely.

WAISTBAND

Knitted in one continuous strip. With 4mm needles cast on 79 sts.

Front 50

Row 1 (RS): Sl1k, [p1, k1] rep to end.

Work in 1x1 rib for a further 2 rows.

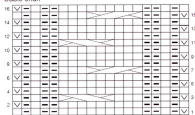
Next row (WS): Sl1p, k1, p1, [p1, k1]

rep to last 4 sts, p2, k1, p1.

Next row: Sl1k, p1, k1, [p1, k1] rep to end.

Rep the last 2 rows until front 50 meas 60cm (23.5in), ending with a WS row.

Cable chart



Key:

- Init on RS, put on WS
- put on RS, init on WS
- Sl1k on RS, slip on WS
- Cable 6 front
- Cable 6 back

Gaja skirt measurement diagram • All measurements are given in cm



Instructions.

Waistband section

Work as Cable chart until cable waistband fits top edge of skirt, ending with a RS row. Second front tie

Row 1 (WS): Sl1p, k1, p1, (p1, k1) rep to last 4 sts, p2, k1, p1.

Next row: Sl1k, p1, k1, (p1, k1) rep to end. Rep the last 2 rows until second front tie meas 60 cm (23.5 in), ending with a WS row.

Next row (RS): Sl1k, (p1, k1), rep to end. Work in 1x1 rib for a further 2 rows. Cast off in rib.

TO FINISH OFF

Join centre back seam of skirt. Attach waistband starting with centre of waistband at centre back seam and working towards the front on either side, leaving 2cm (.79in) open at centre front. Fasten all loose ends. Give finished garment a light steam.

For further detail shots see page 24. ●



September sweater
by Susan Crawford

SIZES

To fit size: 8-10/12-14/16-18/20-22

Actual measurement: 94/106/118/129cm (37/41.5/45.5/51in)

Length to underarm: 33/34.35/35.37cm (13/13.5/14.14/5in)

Full length: 47/50/53/57cm

(18.5/19.5/21/22.5in)

Sleeve seam: 26.5/28.29/30.5cm (10.5/11.1/11.5/12in)

YOU WILL NEED

Spud & Chloe Fine

80% wool 20% silk (approx 227m to 65g)
4/4.5/5 x 65g skeins 7807 Tutu (pale pink) (A)
1/1.2/2 x 65g skeins 7805 Anemone (turquoise blue) (B)
1/1.2/2 x 65g skeins 7808 Sassafas (hot pink) (C)
1/1.2/2 x 65g skeins 7804 Cricket (bright green) (D)
1/1.2/2 x 65g skeins 7809 Snorkel (royal blue) (E)
1 pair 3.25mm needles

(plus one extra needle)

Stitch holder

1 pin (for marking centre back of neck)

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate

TENSION

31 sts and 40 rows to 10 cm over fan and leather puff using 3.25mm needles.

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS SEE PAGE 83

PATTERN NOTES

Fan and leather puff

Row 1: K1, *k2tog 3 times, (yo, k1) 6 times, (k2tog) 3 times, rep from * to last st, k1.

Rows 2 & 4: Purl.

Row 3: Knit.

Stripe puff

A - 14/16/18/20 rows

C - 8/10/12/14 rows

D - 4 rows

A - 8 rows

B - 2 rows

C - 4 rows

B - 18 rows

A - 6 rows

D - 10 rows

E - 2 rows

D - 4 rows

A - 10 rows

C - 6 rows

B - 4 rows

C - 2 rows

A - 10 rows

D - 8 rows **

C - 2 rows

D - 2 rows

A - 4 rows

*** B - 14 rows

D - 4 rows

B - 2 rows

Rep from beg.

Please note: ** denotes referal to pattern required after colour has been worked. *** denotes referal to pattern required before colour change.

Butterfly eyelet pattern

Rows 1 & 3: *K2tog, yo, k1, yo, sl1, k1, p2so, k5, rep from * to end.

Rows 2 & 4: *P2, sl1, p2, rep from * to end of row.

Row 5: Knit.

Row 6: Purl.

Rows 7 & 9: *K5, k2tog, yo, k1, yo, sl1, k1, p2so, rep from * to end.

Rows 8 & 10: *P2, sl1, p2, rep from * to end.

Row 11: Knit.

Row 12: Purl.

BACK

Using 3.25mm needles and E cast on 146/164/182/200 sts.

Work 5 rows in moss stitch.

Next row: * K1, p1, rep from * to last st, k1.
This row sets moss stitch.

Work 4 rows more in moss stitch.

Next row: Change to A and p one row.

Work 4 rows of fan and feather patt commencing with row 1 AND AT SAME TIME commence stripe patt throughout.
Cont without shaping until *** reached.

Armhole shaping

Maintaining fan and feather patt, cast off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows. 134(152:170:188) sts.
Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 4th row until 98(116:130:136) sts rem, then dec 1 st at each end of every row until 54(60:66:72) sts rem (retaining selvedge at each end of row).
Cast off.

FRONT

Work as for Back, commencing armhole shaping and changing colours until *** reached. 126(144:162:180) sts.

Work 2 rows in B, then divide for neck opening as folls:

Next row (RS): Patt 60(69:79:87), k2tog, turn and work on these sts only. 6(70:79:88) sts.

Next and foll off row: P2tog at beg of row, patt to end.

Next row: K2tog, patt to end. 59(67:77:86) sts.
Cont working armhole shaping only until a further 22(22:26:38) rows have been worked.

Next row (WS): Cast off 12(14:16:14) sts at beg of row, patt to end. 36(43:48:53) sts.

Dec 1 st at armhole edge of every row as for Back, AND AT THE SAME TIME, dec 1 st at centre neck edge on every RS row, until 3 sts rem.

Next row: P3tog, draw yarn through loop and fasten off.

Rejoin yarn to rem sts at centre front.

Next row: K2tog, patt to end.

Next row: Patt to last 2 sts, p2tog.

Rep these 2 rows once more.

Cont working armhole shaping only until work matches first side.

Next row (RS): Cast off 12(14:16:18) sts

at beg of row, patt to end.

Work as for back until 3 sts rem.

Next row: K3tog, draw yarn through loop and fasten off.

SLEEVES

Using 3.25mm needles and E cast on 92 sts.

Work 5 rows in moss stitch as set on back.

Change to A and p one row, then

commencing with row 1 work in butterfly eyelid patt, inc 1st at each end of 5th and every foll 6th row until 102(102:108:114) sts then every foll 12th row until 112(112:118:124) sts.

Work without shaping until work measures 26.5(28:29:30.5)cm (10.5(11:11.5:12)in).

Raglan shaping

Cast off 6 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

100(100:105:112) sts.

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 4th row to 64(64:48:36) sts, then on every row until 20 sts rem.

Cast off.

Join raglan seams together.

Place pin at centre back.

SCARF

With 3.25mm needles and E cast on 56 sts.

Work 5 rows in moss st as set on Back.

Change to A and p one row.

Commencing with row one of fan and feather patt, work colour changes as for back and AT SAME TIME dec 1 st at each end of 7th and every foll 6th row until 24 sts rem.

Now dec 1 st at each end of every row until 12 sts rem.

Place marker.

Maintaining stripes, work in st at until work from marker meas the same when slightly stretched as one side of neck to pin at centre back. Leave on spare needle.
Work second piece to match.

Place the two pieces against each other, with RS tog, and with a third needle k 2 sts tog (1 from each needle), rep and then cast first st on right needle off over 2nd.

Rep to end.

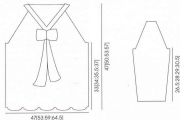
TO FINISH OFF

Damp in all ends. Press lightly from WS using a damp cloth to cover the garment. Sew up side and sleeve seams. Pin one long edge of collar to neck opening from maker to maker, matching centre seam with pin.

Slip stitch into place. ●



All measurements are given in cm



Instructions



Military Jacket by Rona Morris

SIZES

To fit: 86(91-96-101-106-111-116-122)cm
(34-38-40-42-44-46-48)in

Actual measurement:
92(96-102-107-112-117-122-127)cm
(36-38-40-42-44-46-48-50)in

Length to shoulder:
57.5(59-60-60-60-60-60)cm
(22.5(23-25-23-6-23-5-23-5-23-5)in)

Sleeve length:
43(45-5-45-5-45-5-45-5-45-5)cm
(17(17-18-18-18-18-18)in)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes; where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Garnstudio Drops Silke-Tweed 52% silk,
48% lambswool (approx 200m per 50g)

5(5-6-6-6-7-7-7) x 50g balls Shade 10

Garnstudio Drops Fine Alpaca

100% alpaca (approx 165m per 50g)

5(5-6-6-7-7-7) x 50g balls Shade 8120

1 x 80cm and 1 x 60cm circular 3.75mm

needle

1 x 60cm circular 4.5mm needle

1 x set 3.75mm double pointed needles

(If not using 'magic loop' method you will

also need a set of 4.5mm dpns)

Stitch holder

Stitch markers

10 buttons

Row counter

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on

average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

18 sts and 27 rows to 10cm over st at using

one strand of each yarn on 4.5mm needles

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to

obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS SEE PAGE B3

PATTERN NOTES

One strand of each yarn is used together throughout the garment. The garment is knitted in the round once the upper Back and Front are completed. The sleeves are knitted in the round so will need to be worked on either a set of dpns or a long circular needle using the 'magic loop' technique. Short rows are used to shape the shoulder slope and the sleeve cap and should be worked as follows:

On a knit row, knit to the turning point, yarn forward between the needles, slip the next stitch to right needle, take yarn back between the needles, slip the stitch back to left needle and turn. This is a **knit wrap & turn**. On a purl row, purl to the turning point, yarn back between the needles, slip the next stitch to the right needle, bring the yarn forward between the needles, slip the stitch back to the left needle and turn. This is a **purl wrap & turn**.

When knitting longer rows again you need to knit the wrap with the stitch it is wrapped around as follows:

On a knit row, knit to the wrapped stitch, put your right needle under the wrap and into the stitch so you can knit the 2 together. On a purl row, purl to the wrapped stitch, using the point of the right needle find the wrap on the knit side of the fabric and lift it onto the left needle in front of the next stitch and purl the 2 together.

A provisional cast on is used on a number of occasions in this garment. I prefer to use a crochet provisional cast on which you can see demonstrated on www.kniti.lv

Waist shaping is worked by decreasing or increasing in the knit stitches on either side of the reverse stocking stitch false seam. Decreases are worked as k2tog before the 2 purl stitches and 39PO after the 2 purl stitches.

SADDLE SHOULDER (MAKE 2)

Using 1 strand of each yarn and a

provisional cast on method,

cast on 10(10-10-10-12-12-12) sts.

Using 4.5mm needles work

26(26-30-32-32-34-34) rows stocking stitch.

Put the stitches onto a stitch holder.

BACK

Using 4.5mm needles, take one saddle

shoulder piece and holding it with

RS facing you and the provisional

cast on end at the left, knit pick up

17(18-19-21-21-22-22) sts along the edge

of the saddle shoulder piece and place

a stitch marker. Using the provisional cast

on, cast on 26(26-30-32-34-34) sts on

to the same needle that has the saddle

shoulder stitches, place a stitch marker

and then with the 2nd saddle shoulder

piece holding it with the RS facing you

but with the cast on edge at the right end

knit pick up 17(18-19-21-21-22-22) sts.

62(64-68-72-74-76-80) sts.

Shape shoulder slope

(see Pattern Notes)

Put to 4(4-4-5-5-5-5) sts past the 2nd stitch

marker **wrap & turn**, K to 4(4-4-5-5-5-5) sts

past the 2nd stitch marker **wrap & turn**

Cont working back and forth working

the wraps when you come to them and

wrapping when you turn, working longer

rows as follows: 4(4-5-5-5-5-5) more stitches

on the next 4(2-4-4-4-2-2) rows and then

5(5-6-6-6-6-6) more stitches on the next

2(4-0-2-2-4-4) rows.

Cont knit straight until Back

meas 11(11-12-13-13-14-15)cm

(4-25(4-25-4-25-4-25-5-5-5-5-5-5)in) from the

saddle shoulder at the armhole edge

Shape armhole

Working 2 sts in from the edge, inc 1

st at each end of the neck and

every 8th row 7(8-8-8-9-10-11) times.

76(80-84-88-92-96-100-102) sts.

Leave these stitches on a stitch holder

RIGHT FRONT

Using 4.5mm needles and with the RS of

the saddle shoulder and Back facing you

knit pick up 17(18-19-21-21-22-22) sts from the

right saddle shoulder edge.

Shape shoulder slope

N(4-4-5-5-5-5) sts **wrap and turn**.

Knit to end of row. Cont working back and

forth working the wraps when you come to

them and wrapping when you turn, working

longer rows as follows: 4(4-5-5-5-5-5) more

sts on the next and off rows 2(2-3-2-2-1-1)

times and then 5(5-6-6-6-6-6) more sts

1(2-0-1-1-2-2) times.

Work 1(3-3-3-1-3-3) rows st without shaping.

Shape front neck

(RS) working 2 stitches in from the edge,

inc 1 st at the neck edge on the next and

every 4th row 7(7-7-7-8-8-9) times.

Work 1 row and cast on (using provisional

cast on) 7(7-8-8-9-9-9) sts at the

neck edge, p to the end of the row.

31(32-34-36-37-38-39-40) sts.

Work straight until Front meas

11(11-12-13-13-14-15)cm

(4-25(4-25-4-25-4-25-5-5-5-5-5-5)in) from the

saddle shoulder at the armhole edge.

Shape armhole

Working 2 sts in from the edge, inc 1

st at armhole edge on the next and

every 4th row 7(8-8-8-9-10-11) times.

38(40-42-44-46-48-50-51) sts.

Leave these sts on a stitch holder.

LEFT FRONT

Using 4.5mm needle and with the RS of the

saddle shoulder and Back facing you knit

pick up 17(18-19-21-21-22-22) sts from the

left saddle shoulder edge.

Purl 1 row.

Shape shoulder slope

K4(4.5:5.5:5.5) st at **wrap and turn**.

P to end of row. Cont working back and forth working the wraps when you come to them and wrapping when you turn, working longer rows as follows:
4(4.5:5.5:5.5) more sts on the next and
alt rows 2(2.3:2.2:2.1) times and then
5(5.0:5.6:5.6) more sts 1(2.0:1.1:1.2) times.
Row 2(2.2:2.0:2.2) rows st without shaping.
Shape front neck

[R5] Working 2 sts in from the edge, inc 1 st at the neck edge on the next and every alt row 7(7.7:8.8:8.9) times.

Cast on (using provisional cast on)

7(7.8:8.9:9.9) sts at the neck edge, k to the end of the row. 31(32.3:34.3:37.3:39.4) sts.

Work straight until the front meas

11(11.1:12.1:13.1:14.1)cm

4.25(4.25:4.75:5.5:5.5:5.5) from the saddle shoulder at the edge.

Shape armhole

Working 2 sts in from the edge, inc 1 st at armhole edge on the next and every alt row 7(8.8:9.10:11.1) times.
38(40.42:44.46:48.50:51) sts.

Lower body

You should have 38(40.42:44.46:48.50:51) sts from the Left Front on your needle.

Knit across these sts.

Cast on 6(6.8:8.8:5.5:5.5) sts onto the same needle placing a stitch marker at the centre of the cast on sts.

k 75(80.84:88:92:96:100) sts from back stitch holder, cast on 6(6.8:8.8:5.5:5.5) sts

placing a stitch marker at the

centre of the cast on stitches and

k 38(40.42:44.46:48.50:51) sts from

Right stitch holder.

36(41(72:184:192:200:212:220:228) sts.

P to 1 st before the stitch marker, k2

(1 st either side of the stitch marker), p to

1 st before the next stitch marker, k2

(1 st either side of the stitch marker) and

p to the end of the row. (The 1st st either

side of the stitch marker are worked in rev st at

to make a false seam)

Cont straight in st until you have worked

6.5(6.5:6.6:6.6:5.4:5.4)cm

2(2.5:2.2:2.5:2.2:2.5:2.1:75:1.5) from the

underarm point.

Shape waist (see Pattern Notes)

Dec 1 st either side of the false seams on

the next and every 6th row 5 times.

Work 4 rows straight.

Inc 1 st either side of the false seams on the

next and every 4th row 5 times.

Cont straight until the back meas

52(53.5:54.5:54.5:54.5:54.5:54.5)cm

20(20.5:21.5:21.5:21.5:21.5:21.5) from the

cast on edge.

Waist

Change to 3.75mm circular needle.

Work in moss stitch i.e. k1 "p1, k1"

rep to end of row decreasing 1 st at the

centre back on the first moss stitch row.

Work 9 rows in total.

I-cord cast off

Cast on 3 sts in front of the sts already on the needle.

*K2, slip these 3 sts back to the left

needle and pull the yarn across the back*,

rep from * to * until you only have the 3

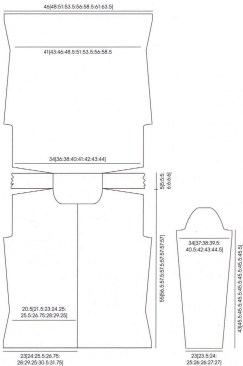
I-cord stitches left.

Leave these sts on a stitch holder.

SLEEVES

Using the shorter 4.5mm circular needle, with the RS of the garment facing you and starting at the centre of the cast on stitches at the underarm point, pick up 3(3.4:4.4:5.5:5.5) sts from the cast on, pick up 23(25:25:27:27:28:30:31) sts up the armhole edge (approx 1 st for 1 row 2(4:2:2:2:0:0:0) times and then 1 st for every 2 rows 21(21:23:25:25:28:30:31) times), k 10(10:10:10:12:12:12) sts from

All measurements are given in cm



Instructions

the saddle shoulder stitch holder, pick up 23[25-27-27-28-30-31] sts down the armhole edge and 3[3-4-4-4-5-5-6] sts over the underarm cast on.

62[66-68-72-74-78-82-86] sts. Place a stitch marker. (If the circular needle is too long for the number of stitches you will have to either work on dpps or use a long circular needle and the 'magic loop' technique.)

Shape sleeve cap

P1, k2[43-44-47-48-51-54-57], wrap and turn.

Next row: P22[22-22-24-24-26-28-28],

wrap and turn.

Next row: K23[23-23-25-25-27-29-29],

knitting the wrap together with the stitch, wrap and turn.

Next row: P24[24-24-26-26-28-30-30],

pulling the wrap together with the stitch, wrap and turn.

Cont working one more st at each row until you have reached the sts of the underarm cast on.

Next row: K across all the sts to 1 st before the stitch marker and p1.

Cont to work in the round working the st either side of the stitch marker as a p st.

Work 6[6-10-2-2-12-2] rnds without any shaping.

Dec 1 st [see Knitting Notes] in the k sts either side of the stitch marker

on the rnd and every

108[99-99-88-88-78-78-68] rnd

10[12-12-13-14-16-17-19] times.

42[42-44-46-46-48-48-48] sts.

Change to 3.75mm needles and work 9 rnds of moss stitch as for welt decreasing 1 st at the centre of the first rnd.

Cast off using the I-cord cast off as for the body but graft the last 3 sts to the first 3 sts to finish the cord.

COLLAR

Using 3.75mm needles and with the RS of garment facing you pick up

7[7-8-8-8-9-9-9] sts from the

provisional cast on at Right Front,

17[18-18-18-19-19-19] sts up Right Front

neck edge, 10[10-10-10-12-12-12] sts from

provisional cast on at Saddle Shoulder,

28[28-30-30-32-34-34-36] sts from

provisional cast on at Back neck,

10[10-10-10-12-12-12] sts from

provisional cast on at Saddle Shoulder,

17[18-18-18-19-19-19] sts down Left Front

neck edge and 7[7-8-8-8-9-9-9] sts from

the provisional cast on of Left Front.

95[98-102-102-108-114-114-116] sts.

Work 8 rows in moss stitch, decreasing 1 st at the centre of the back neck in the first row.

Dec 1 st at each end of the next 2 rows.

Leave these stitches on the needle.

I-CORD EDGING

Before starting to knit the I-cord it is a good idea to use slip pins/stitch markers or threads

to mark the positions of the 10 buttonhole loops on the Right Front just along the stocking stitch section. Spread out the stitch markers evenly along the right edge placing 1 marker just below the moss stitch collar and 1 marker just above the moss stitch welt. Using 2 x 3.75mm dpps and with the WS of the garment facing you, starting at the bottom Left Front, pick up the I-cord stitches from the stitch holder.

Work 2 rows of unattached I-cord (i.e. k3, push the sts to the other end of the needle and pull the yarn across the back).

Now work attached I-cord as follows: k2, stl, k through edge of garment, pass slip stitch over, push sts to other end of needle and pull yarn across back.

Cont to work the attached I-cord up the Left Front edge to the Collar sts, working 1 I-cord row for every 2 moss st rows and 3 I-cord rows for every 4 st st rows (you may need to adjust the pick-up rate if the cord is too tight).

Slip the 3 cord sts onto the needle in front of all the collar sts and work I-cord cast off over these sts.

When you have only the 3 I-cord sts left put them back onto the dpps and start working attached I-cord down the Right Front (working the same rates as up the Left Front).

Buttonhole loops

After working over the Collar moss st section make the first buttonhole loop by working 10 rows unattached I-cord and then start joining again at the point you started the unattached I-cord. (This should be opposite your top stitch marker). Cont to work the attached I-cord making 10 row buttonhole loops opposite each of the stitch markers down the Right Front edge. When you reach the bottom of the Right Front, work 1 row unattached I-cord and then graft the 3 sts to the I-cord cast off at the bottom.

MOSS STITCH EDGING

With the RS of the garment facing you knit pick up 9[93-95-95-93-93-93] sts along the st st section of the Front edge.

If you look closely you should be able to see the Front edge sts sitting between 2 I-cord sts. Try to pick up through these sts rather than the I-cord to stop the edge rolling.

(You should pick up approx 3 sts for every 4 rows).

Work 3 rows in moss stitch.

Cast off using the I-cord cast off

TO FINISH OFF

Sew in all ends and sew on the buttons.

Wash the garment and lay flat to dry. ●





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Three quarter sleeve dress
by Pat Manchini

SIZES

To fit: 81(86-91-97-102-107)cm
(32(34-36-38-40-42)in)

Actual measurement:

88(93-98-103-108-113)cm
(34.5(36.5-38.5-40.5-42.5-44.5)in)

Length to shoulder: 97(98-99-100-102)cm
(38(38.5-39-39.5-40-40.5)in)

Sleeve length: 30(30-30-32-32-32)cm
(12(12-12-12.5-12.5-12.5)in)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes: where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Sublime Soya Cotton DK

50% soya 50% cotton
approx 110m per 50g
15(15-15-17-17-18) x 50g balls 88
Pommegranate

1 pair each 3mm, 3.75mm
and 4mm needles
5 small buttons (Buttons for Buttons
see page 85 for stockist details)
Row counter

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

23 sts and 29 rows to 10cm over st st using
3.75mm needles
Use larger or smaller needles if necessary
to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

TW2 = K2tog but do not slip off LH needle,
now knit the first of these 2 sts again and
slip sts off needle

M1 = Make one by picking up and knitting
into back of horizontal strand lying before
next st.

For more abbreviations see page 83

FRONT

Using 3.75mm needles, cast on
114(120-126-132-138-144) sts.

Next row: Purl.

Change to 4mm needles and purl:

Row 1 (RS): P2, (Pw2, p1) to last st, p1.

Row 2: Purl.

Rows 3-14: Rep rows 1 and 2 six times. **

Row 15: Knit.

Row 16: Purl.

These 16 rows form patt.

Rep these 16 rows five times **more**,
then rows 1 to 14 again.

Change to 3.75mm needles

Shaping

Next row (dec): (K6, k2tog, tlb) 3 times,
k to last 24 sts, (k2tog, k6) 3 times.

Work 15 rows straight.

Rep the last 16 rows twice **more**.

95(102-108-114-120-126) sts.

Next row (inc): (K6, m1) 3 times.

k to last 18 sts, (m1, k6) 3 times.

Work 15 rows straight.

Rep the last 16 rows twice **more**.

114(120-126-132-138-144) sts.

Next row: K0(3-6-2-5-1), * k2tog, k6(6-7-7-7);
rep from * to last 2(5-8-4-7-3) sts, k2tog.

k(3-6-2-5-2), 99(105-111-117-123-129) sts.

Rep with a p row, cont straight in st st until
front meas 80cm (31.75in) at centre,

ending after a p row.

Place a marker at centre of last row.

Shape armholes

Cast off 5(6-7-8-9-10) sts **loosely** at beg of
next 2 rows. 89(93-97-101-105-109) sts

Dec 1 st at each end of next

3(3-3-5-5-5) rows, then every foll 4th row

until 75(79-83-85-89-93) sts rem. ***

Cont straight until work meas

9(10-11-12-13)cm,

3.75(4.25-4.5-4.5-4.75-5.25)in from marker,
ending after a p row.

Shape neck

Next row: K29(30-31-32-33-34), turn.

Cont on this group for first half.

Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows,

then on every foll 4th row until

24(25-26-27-28-29) sts rem.

Cont straight until front meas

16(17-18-19-20-21)cm (6.25(6.75-7.5-8-8.25)in)
from marker, ending at armhole edge.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 8(8-9-9-9-10) sts at beg of neck and
foll 4th row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 8(9-8-9-10-9) sts.

With RS facing, slip next 17(19-21-21-23-25) sts
on a spare needle.

Rejoin yarn to rem sts.

Next row: Knit.

Complete as first half.

BACK

Work as Front to ***.

Cont straight until back meas 16 rows **less**
than Front to shoulder shaping,

ending after a k row.

Divide for neck opening

Next row: P37(39-41-42-44-46), cast off
next st (purl st), p to end.

Cont on last group for first half.

Working 3 sts of inner edge in g-st and rem
in st st work straight until back meas same
as front to shoulder shaping, ending at

armhole edge.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 8(8-9-9-9-10) sts at beg of neck and
foll 4th row, then 8(9-8-9-10-9) sts at beg of
neck 4th row.

Work 1 row.

Slip rem 13(14-15-15-17) sts on

a spare needle.

With RS facing, rejoin yarn to rem sts and
complete as first half.

SLEEVES

Using 3.75mm needles cast on
48(51-51-54-57-57) sts and work as front to **.

Shape sleeves

Change to 3.75mm needles

Rep with a k row work in st st shape sleeves
by inc 1 st at each end of 7th row following,

then on every foll 8th(8th-8th-8th-8th-8th) row
until these are 60(63-65-72-63-69) sts, then on

every foll 10th(10th-8th-8th-8th-8th) row until
these are 64(67-71-76-81-85) sts.

Cont straight for a few rows until

sleeve meas 30(30-30-32-32)cm

(12(12-12-12.5-12.5-12.5)in) at centre,

ending after a p row.

Shape top

Cast off 5(6-7-8-9-10) sts **loosely** at beg of
next 2 rows.

Work 4 rows straight.

Now dec 1 st at each end of next and every
foll k row until 30(29-31-32-33-35) sts rem, then

on every row until 19(21-22-23-25) sts rem.
Cast off **loosely**.

NECKBAND

First join shoulders using 3.75mm needles,

RS facing, k across sts of left back, k up

18(18-18-21-21) sts evenly down left front

neck, k across centre sts dec 3 sts evenly

across, k up 18(18-18-21-21) sts evenly up

right front neck, finally k across sts of right

back neck, 76(80-84-90-94-98) sts.

Instructions

Row 1: k3, p to last 3 sts, k3.

Row 2: Knit.

Rep these 2 rows until Neckband meas 7cm (3in), ending after row 1.

Change to 3mm needles.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: Purl.

Cast off firmly k-wise.

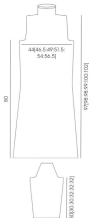
TO FINISH OFF

Set in sleeve tops.

Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew buttons to one back neck edge, then work a buttonhole loop to correspond with each button on opposite edge. ●

All measurements are given in cm



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Raglan jacket by Pat Menchini

SIZES

To fit: 81(86/91-97/102/107)cm

(32(34-36-38-40-42)in)

Actual measurement

(allowing for wrapover):

97(103/109/114/121/127)cm

(38(40-54/43-45-47-50)in)

Length from centre back (incl neckband):

42(43-44-46-47-48)cm

(16.5(17-17.5-18-38-5-19)in)

Sleeve length (inc roll):

30cm (12in)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes; where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Sublime Cashmere Merino Silk Aran

75% extra fine merino 20% silk

5% cashmere (approx 86m per 50g)

10(11-13/11-12/12) x 50g balls 108 Arlichoke

1 pair each 4mm and 5mm needles

2 safety pins

1 large button

Row counter

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

19 sts and 30 rows to 10cm over patt using 5mm needles

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS SEE PAGE 83

RIGHT FRONT

Using 5mm needles, cast on 50(53.56.58.61.64) sts.

Work in p2tog according to size:

2nd and 5th sizes only

Row 1 (RS): K1, (p1, k1) to end.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: K2, (p1, k1) to last st, k1.

Row 4: Purl.

1st, 3rd, 4th and 6th sizes only

Row 1 (RS): (K1, p1) to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: K2, (p1, k1) to end.

Row 4: Purl.

Cont in p2tog until work meas 20cm (8in) from beg, ending at side edge.

Shape raglan

Row 1: Cast off 3(3.4:4.5:5) sts,

work to end. **

Row 2: P2tog to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Row 3: K1, p to end.

Row 4: Rep the last 2 rows until

23(24:25:27:27) sts rem.

Work 1 row straight, thus ending at front edge.

Shape neck

Next row: Cast off 11(12:12:13:14:14) sts,

p2tog to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

*** Dec 1 st at neck edge on next 3 rows

while still dec at raglan edge as before.

7(7.6:8:8) sts.

Cont dec at raglan edge only as before

until 2 sts rem.

Work 1 row.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

LEFT FRONT

Using 5mm needles, cast on 50(53.56.58.61.64) sts.

Work in p2tog for various sizes

2nd and 5th sizes only

Work rows 1-4 as on Right Front.

1st, 3rd, 4th and 6th sizes only

Row 1 (RS): K2, (p1, k1) to end.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: (K1, p1) to last 2 sts, k2.

Row 4: Purl.

All sizes: Work as Right Front to **.

Row 2: Purl.

Row 3: K1, k2tog t/b, p2tog to end.

Row 4: Purl to last st, k1.

Rep the last 2 rows until

23(24:25:27:27) sts rem, thus ending at

front edge.

Shape neck

Next row: Cast off 11(12:12:13:14:14) sts,

p to last st, k1.

Complete to match Right Front working

from *** to end.

BACK

Using 5mm needles, cast on 91(97.903:107:113:119) sts.

All sizes: Work rows 1-4 of p2tog as given for 2nd and 5th sizes of right front.

Cont in p2tog as on these 4 rows until back meas 20cm (8in) from beg, ending after a purl row.

Shape raglan

Rows 1 and 2: Cast off 3(3.4:4.5:5) sts,

work to end.

Row 3: K1, k2tog t/b, p2tog to last 3 sts,

k2tog, k1.

Row 4: K1, p to last st, k1.

Rep rows 3 and 4 until 23(25:27:27:29) sts

rem, ending after a WS row.

Slp sts on a spare needle.

SLEEVES

Using 5mm needles, cast on

73(77.83.85.89.95) sts.

All sizes: Work rows 1-4 of p2tog as given for

2nd and 5th sizes of right front.

Cont in p2tog as on these 4 rows until Sleeve

meas 24cm (9.5in), ending after a purl row.

Shape raglan

Work rows 1-4 as on Back.

Rep rows 3 and 4 until 7 sts rem, ending

after a WS row.

Slp sts on a safety pin.

NECKBAND

First join raglan shapings.

Using 4mm needles, RS facing, k up

23(24:24:27:28:28) sts evenly round

right front neck, k7 across right sleeve,

k23(25:25:27:29:29) from back, k7 across

left sleeve, finally k up 23(24:24:27:28:28) sts

evenly round left front neck.

83(87.95:99:99) sts.

Work in st st with ridges

Row 1 (WS): Knit - to form ridge.

Buttonhole row: K3, cast off 5 sts neatly,

k to end.

Row 3: P casting on 5 sts neatly over those

cast off.

Row 4: Knit.

Omitting buttonhole on rows 2 and 3,

rep the last 4 rows four times **more**.

then rows 1 and 2 again.

Next row: N(5:2.5:3:4) * p2tog, p7(7.8:8:9:9);

rep from * 7 times **more**, p2tog, p to end.

74(78:78.86:90:90) sts.

Ridges are now complete.

Beg with a k row work 12 rows in st st.

Now work rows 2 and 3 again of

ridges section.

Knit 1 row.

Cast off very **loosely**.

FRONT BORDERS

Using 4mm needles, k up

75(77.81.85:83.83) sts **evenly** along right front

edge to base of neckband, then k up 16 sts

evenly along right collar edge to 6th ridge.

91(93.97:97.99:99) sts.

Row 1: K1, (p1, k1) to end.

Row 2: K2, (p1, k1) to last st, k1.

Cast off **firmly** in rib.

Work left border to match.

FRILLS (MAKE 2, WORKED SIDEWAYS)

Using 5mm needles, cast on 11 sts.

Row 1 (WS): K11.

Row 2: Cast on 2 sts to end of needle

holding sts, now cast off these 2 sts to form

a picot, k to last st, turn.

Row 3: S1 p-wise, p7, k2.

Row 4: K4, turn.

Row 5: S1 p-wise, p1, k2.

Row 6: K11.

Rep these 6 rows until short edge fits along

cast-on edge of sleeve, ending after row 6.

NB: Do not stretch on the cast-on edge of frill.

Cast off.

TO FINISH OFF

Stitch frills to lower edge of sleeves.

Join side and sleeve seams.

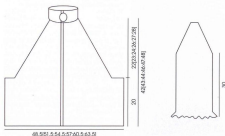
Fold collar in half to WS at top ridge and

hem in position all round.

Sew on button to correspond with

buttonhole. ●

All measurements are given in cm



Instructions.



Apple orchard waistcoat
by Jeanette Sloan

SIZES

To fit: 81(86-91-96-5:101-5:106-5:111-75)cm
(32(34-36-38-40-42-44)in)

Actual measurement:
86(91-5-96-5:102-5:107-5:112-5:115-5)cm
(34.75(36-38-40-26-42-26-44-26-45-5)in)

Length to shoulder: 47(47-49-49-50-50-52)cm
(37(37-38-5-38-5-39-25-39-25-41)in)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes: where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Jamieson & Smith 2 ply Jumperweight

(approx 115m per 25g)
4 x 25g balls FC12 Olive (A)
4 x 25g balls FC38 Rust (B)
1 x 25g ball FC22 Pink (C)
1 x 25g ball 125 Orange (D)

For embroidery – small amounts of

25 Green
1403 Red
FC44 Dark Brown
1 pair 3.75mm needles
1 circular 3.5mm circular needle 100cm long
Row counter
Darning needle
7 x buttons 1.5cm (.5in) diam

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

Pre washing: 24 sts and 36 rows to 10cm
over 2 st using 3.75mm needles

After washing: 24 sts and 40 rows to 10cm
over 2 st using 3.75mm needles
Use larger or smaller needles if necessary
to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS SEE PAGE 83

TIPS

This garment is slightly felted by washing in a machine at 40 degrees centigrade: it is essential therefore to take time to knit and felt a test swatch to match the stated tension **after washing** in order that your garment comes out the correct size.

PATTERN NOTES

The BACK is worked in patt:
RS = pR, k1, pR, k1, p1, k1.
The FRONTS are worked in patt:
RS = kR, p1, kR, p1, k1, p1.
The lardon effect is created by working a chain stitch into the pull stitch channels before the garment is felted. Take care not to pull too tightly on the yarn as you work the chain stitch.
The apple on the top right of the waistcoat is embroidered **after** felting.

BACK

Using 3.75mm needles and 8 cast on 108(111-117-123-129-135-141) sts.

1st size only:

Row 1 (RS): P6, (k1, pR, k1, p1, k1, pR) 4 times, p1, k8.

Row 2: K8, (p1, kR, p1, k1, p1, kR) 4 times, p1, k8.

2nd size only:

Row 1(RS): P1, k1, (pR, k1) twice, p1, k1 4 times, (pR, k1) twice, p1.

Row 2: K1, p1, (kR, p1) twice, k1, p1 4 times, (kR, p1) twice, k1.

3rd, 4th & 5th sizes only:

Row 1 (RS): P2(5-6), (k1, p1, k1, pR, k1, pR) 5 times, k1, p1, k1, p2(5-6).

Row 2: K2(5-6), (p1, k1, p1, kR, p1, kR) 5 times, p1, k1, p1, k2(5-6).

6th & 7th sizes only:

Row 1 (RS): P1(4), (k1, pR, k1, p1, k1, pR) 6 times, k1, p1(4).

Row 2: K1(4), (p1, kR, p1, k1, p1, kR) 6 times, p1, k1(4).

All sizes Cont in patt as set by these 2 rows until 108(108-112-112-116-116-116) rows have been worked.

Shape armholes

Cast off 5(6-7-8-10-10-11) sts at beg of next 2 rows, 9(9-9-10-10-10) sts
Dec 1 st at each end of the next 6(6-6-6-4-4-4) rows.

6th & 7th sizes only:

Dec 1 st at each end of next and foll all rows. Work 1 row.

All sizes

Dec 1 st at each end of next and every foll 4th row until 77(81-85-89-93-97-101) sts rem. Cont in patt without further shaping until 184(184-192-192-200-200-204) rows have been worked from cast on edge.

Shape shoulders and neck

Row 1: Cast off 9(9-9-10-10-10) sts, patt 11(13-14-15-19-20-21) sts.

cast off 37[37:39:39:39:41] sts.

pat 20[22:23:25:26:28:30].

Row 2: Cast off 9[9:9:10:7:8:9] sts, p2f to end.

Row 3: Cast off 3[3:4:3:3:3] sts, p2f to end.

Row 4: Cast off 8[10:11:11:7:8:8] sts, p2f 0[0:0:0:9:8].

5th, 6th & 7th sizes only

Row 5: Cast off 2 sts, p2f to end and

cast off rem sts

LEFT FRONT

Using 3.75mm needles and A cast on 4 sts.

1st & 2nd sizes only

Row 1 (RS): K1, p1, k2.

Row 2: Cast on 2 sts, p4, k1, p.

Row 3: Inc 1, p1, k4.

Row 4: Cast on 2 sts, p4, k1, p2.

Row 5: Inc 1, k1, p1, k5.

Row 6: Cast on 2 sts, p4, k1, p3.

Row 7: Inc 1, k2, p1, k5.

Row 8: Cast on 2 sts, k1, p8, k1, p4.

Row 9: Inc 1, k3, p1, k9, p1.

Row 10: Inc 1, p9, k1, p5, 17 sts.

Row 11: Inc 1, k4, p1, k9, p1, inc 1.

Row 12: Inc 1, p1, k1, p9, k1, p6.

Row 13: Inc 1, k5, p1, k9, p1, k1, p1, inc 1.

Cont working throughout in p2f as established shaping and changing colours as follows:

Row 14: P2f to end.

Row 15: Inc 1 at beg and end of row.

Row 16: P2f to last st, inc 1.

Row 17: As row 15.

Row 18: As row 16.

Row 19: Using B, knit, inc 1 st at beg and end of row.

Row 20: Using B, p2f to last st, inc 1, 31 sts. Break off B, join in A.

Row 21: Cast on 3 sts, p2f to last st, inc 1.

Row 22: P2f to end.

Row 23: Cast on 3 sts, p2f to end.

Row 24: P2f to end.

Rows 25-28: As rows 21-24.

Row 29: Cast on 5[5] sts, p2f to last st, inc 1, 51[54] sts

3rd & 4th sizes only

Row 1 (RS): K3, p1.

Row 2: Cast on 2 sts, p2, k1, p3.

Row 3: Inc 1, k2, p1, k2.

Row 4: Cast on 2 sts, p4, k1, p4.

Row 5: Inc 1, k3, p1, k4.

Row 6: Cast on 2 sts, p4, k1, p5.

Row 7: Inc 1, k4, p1, k5.

Row 8: Cast on 2 sts, p8, k1, p5.

Row 9: Inc 1, k5, p1, k7, inc 1.

Row 10: Inc 1, p8, k1, p7, 18 sts.

Row 11: Inc 1, k6, p1, k9, inc 1.

Row 12: Inc 1, k1, p9, k1, p8.

Row 13: Inc 1, k7, p1, k9, p1, k1, inc 1.

Cont working throughout in p2f as established shaping and changing colours as follows:

Row 14 & 15: Inc 1 at beg and end of row.

Row 16: P2f to last st, inc 1.

Row 17 & 18: As Rows 15 & 16.

Row 19: Using B, knit, inc 1 at each end of row.

Row 20: Using B, p2f to last st, inc 1, 34 sts. Break off B, join in A.

Row 21: Cast on 3 sts, p2f to last st, inc 1.

Row 22: P2f to end.

Row 23: Cast on 3 sts, p2f to end.

Row 24: P2f to end.

Row 25: Cast on 4 sts, p2f to last st, inc 1.

Row 26: P2f to end.

Row 27: Cast on 5 sts, p2f to end.

Row 28: P2f to end.

Row 29: Cast on 5[5] sts, p2f to last st, inc 1, 57[60] sts.

5th, 6th & 7th sizes only

Row 1: Knit.

Row 2: Cast on 2 sts, k1, p5.

Row 3: Inc 1, k4, p1.

Row 4: Cast on 2 sts, p2, k1, p6.

Row 5: Inc 1, k5, p1, k2.

Row 6: Cast on 2 sts, p4, k1, p7.

Row 7: Inc 1, k6, p1, k4.

Row 8: Cast on 2 sts, p6, k1, p8.

Row 9: Inc 1, k7, p1, k5, inc 1.

Row 10: Inc 1, p6, k1, p9, 18 sts.

Row 11: Inc 1, k8, p1, k7, inc 1.

Row 12: Inc 1, p8, k1, p9, inc 1.

Row 13: Inc 1, p1, k9, p1, k9, inc 1.

Cont working throughout in p2f as established shaping and changing colours as follows:

Row 14-18: Inc 1 at beg and end of row

Row 19: Using B, cast on 3 sts, k to last st, inc 1, 38 sts.

Row 20: Using B, p to end.

Row 21: Using A, cast on 4 sts, p2f to last st, inc 1.

Row 22: P2f to end.

Row 23: Cast on 4 sts, p2f to end.

Row 24: P2f to end.

Row 25: Cast on 5 sts, p2f to last st, inc 1.

Row 26: P2f to end.

Row 27: Cast on 6 sts, p2f to end.

Row 28: P2f to end.

Row 29: Cast on 3[6:9] sts, p2f to last st, inc 1, 63[66:69] sts.

All sizes:

Row 30-38: P2f to end.

Row 39: Using C, knit.

Row 40-57: Using A, work in p2f.

Row 58: Using B, p2f.

Row 59: Using B, knit.

Row 60-77: Using A, work in p2f.

Row 78: Using C, purl.

Row 79: Using C, knit.

Row 80-97: Using A, work in p2f.

Row 98 & 99: As Rows 58 & 59.

Row 100-117: Using A, work in p2f.

Row 118: Using C, purl.

Row 119-136: Using A, work in p2f

Shape armhole and neck

1st & 2nd sizes only

Row 137: Using B cast off 5[6] sts at beg

of row, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog, 45[47] sts.

Row 138: Purl.

Row 139: Using A k2tog, p2f to end.

Row 140: P2f to last 2 sts, p2tog.

Row 141: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

Row 142: P2f to last 2 sts, p2tog.

Row 143: K2tog, p2f to end.

Row 144: P2f to last 2 sts, p2tog.

Row 145: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

Work 3 rows in p2f.

Row 149-152: Rep last 4 rows.

Row 153: Dec 1 st at each end of row, 32[34] sts.

Work 3 rows in p2f.

Row 157: Using C, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 158: Using C, purl.

Row 159-176: Using A, work in p2f dec 1 st at neck edge on every 4th row as set.

Row 177-178: Using B, work as Rows 157 & 158.

Row 179-196: Using A, work in p2f cont to shape of neck edge as set.

Row 197: As row 157.

Row 198-212: Using A, work in p2f cont to shape of neck edge as set, 18[20] sts.

Shape shoulder

Row 213: Cast off 9 sts at beg of row, p2f to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 214: P2f to end.

Cast off rem sts.

3rd & 4th sizes only:

Row 137: Using B, knit.

Row 138: Using B, purl.

Row 139-140: Using A, work in p2f as set.

Shape armhole & neck

Row 141: Cast off 7[8] sts at beg of row, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 142: P2f to end.

Row 143: K2tog, p2f to end.

Row 144: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

Row 145: K2tog, p2f to end.

Row 146: P2f to last 2 sts, p2tog.

Row 147: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

Row 148: As row 145.

Row 149: As row 145.

Row 150: K2tog, p2f to end.

Work 2 rows in p2f.

Row 153: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

Work 2 rows in p2f.

Row 156: P2f to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 157: Using C, k to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 158: Using C, purl.

Row 159: Using A, p2f to last 2 sts, k2tog, 32[34] sts.

Row 160-176: Dec 1 st at neck edge every 3rd row as set.

Row 177: Using B, p2f to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 178: Using B, purl.

Row 179-196: Using A, dec 1 st at neck edge on 3rd and every 4th row as set.

Row 197: Using C, k to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 198-214: Using A, dec 1 st at neck edge every 4th row as set, 19[21] sts.

Row 215: Using B, knit.

Row 216: Using B, purl.

Row 219-220: Using A, p2f to end.

Instructions

Shape shoulder

Row 221: Cast off 9[10] sts, p2 to end.

Row 222: P2 to end.

Cast off rem sts.

5th, 6th & 7th sizes only

Row 137: Using B, knit.

Row 138: Using B, purl.

Rows 139-144: Using A, p2 to end.

Shape armhole & neck

Row 145: Cast off 10[10.1] sts at beg of row,

k to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 146: P2 to end.

Row 147: k2tog, p2 to end.

Row 148: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

Row 149: k2tog, p2 to end.

Row 150: P2 to last 2 sts, p2tog.

Row 151: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

Row 152: P2 to end.

Row 153: k2tog, p2 to end.

Row 154: P2tog, p2 to end.

Row 155: k2tog, p2 to end.

Row 156: P2 to end.

Row 157: Using C, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Row 158: Using C, purl.

Row 159: Using A, k2tog, p2 to end.

Row 160: P2tog, p2 to end.

Work 2 rows.

Row 161: Dec 1 st at each end of row.

38[40-42] sts.

Rows 164-176: Dec 1 st at neck edge every

3rd row as set.

Row 177: Using B, knit.

Row 178: Using B, p2tog, purl to end.

Rows 179-186: Using A, dec 1 st at neck

edge on 3rd and every foll 4th row.

Row 197: Using C, k to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Rows 198-215: Using A, dec 1 st at neck

edge every 4th row as set. 17[19] sts.

Row 216: Using B, purl.

Row 217: Using B, knit to last 2 sts, k2tog.

Rows 218-226: Using A, work in patt dec

1 st at neck edge on every 4th row as set.

21[23-25] sts.

Shape shoulder

5th & 6th sizes only:

Row 227: Cast off 7[8] sts, p2 to end.

Row 228: P2 to end.

Row 229: Cast off 7[8] sts, p2 to end.

Row 230: P2 to end.

Cast off rem sts.

7th size only:

Rows 227-230: Work in patt.

Row 231: Cast off 9 sts at beg of row,

p2 to end.

Row 232: P2 to end.

Row 233: Cast off 8 sts at beg of row,

p2 to end.

Row 234: P2 to end.

Cast off rem sts.

RIGHT FRONT

Work as for Left front reversing all shaping and pattern i.e. knit the purl sts and purl the knit sts.

BUTTON TAB (FOR BACK)

Using 3.75mm needles and Col A, cast on 26 sts and continue as folls:

Row 1 (RS): K2, p1, knit to last 3 sts, p1, k2.

Row 2: Join in Col C, k1, p1, k1, purl to last

3 sts, k1, p1, k1. Break off C and join in Col A.

Row 3: Using A, work as Row 1.

Row 4: k1, p1, k1, purl to last 3 sts, k1, p1, k1.

Rep last 2 rows twice more.

Row 9: Join in Col D then work as Row 1.

Break off D and join in Col A.

Row 10: Using A work as Row 2.

Cast off.

ARMHOLE EDGES

With 3.5mm circular needles,

A and RS facing pick up and knit

116[121:127:133:139:145:151] sts evenly around

armhole edge and work 5 rows in 1x1 rib.

Cast off in rib using B.

BUTTONBAND

Join shoulder seams. Place 5 of the

buttons down Right Front evenly spaced.

The top button should be 1.5cm (0.75in)

below the start of the neck shaping and

the bottom button 1cm (0.5in) up the

front opening edge. Mark the position

of the buttonholes with scraps of yarn

then with 3.5mm circular needles, RS

facing, A and starting at bottom opening

edge of the Right Front pick up and knit

84[84:88:88:92:92:92] sts to beg of neck

shaping 64[64:70:70:76:76:84] sts to shoulder

seam, 43[43:47:47:51:51:51] sts across back

neck, 64[64:70:70:76:76:84] sts from shoulder

seam to bottom of neck shaping and

84[84:88:88:92:92:92] sts to bottom of Left

Front. 339[339:363:363:387:387:403] sts.

Work 2 rows in 1x1 rib.

Buttonhole row: Work in rib to position

of 1st marker then *yo, work next 2 sts

together keeping rib correct (buttonhole

complete) rib to next marker; rep from * until

4 buttonholes have been placed then work

5th buttonhole & rib to end of row.

Work 2 more rows in rib as set then cast off

in rib using B.

TO FINISH OFF

Sew in all ends on all pieces.

You may find it useful to block and steam

the pieces before adding the chain stitch

to create the vertical stripes as this helps to

open out the purl stitch channels.

Using the photo as a guide and yarns B, C

and D work the vertical lines of chain stitch

into each front and on the button tab.

Swiss dam horizontal flashes of D where

desired. Sew side seams.

Using the photo as a guide use a doubled

end of brown yarn to create tree stem in

twisted chain stitch.

Embroider the leaves and then Swiss dam

the apple in red working the highlight in

pink. Sew buttons in place to match position

of buttonholes. Wash to felt slightly.

Allow to cool thoroughly.

Position the button tab 10 cm from the cast

on edge in the centre of back and use

remaining buttons to sew in place. ●

All measurements are given in cm





'Back to the office' cardigan
by Pat Menchini

SIZES

To fit chest: 91/97/102/107/112/117cm
(36/38/40/42/44/46in)

Actual measurement:

99/104/109/114/119/124cm
(39/41/43/45/47/49in)

Length to shoulder: 62/63/65/66/67/68cm
(24.75/25.25/25.5/26/26.5/26.75in)

Sleeve length: 45/47/47.5/48/48.5/49cm
(18/18.5/18.5/19/19.5/19.5in)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes; where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Arlesano Merino Superwash DK

100% superwash merino wool
(approx 112m per 50g)
14/15/15/16/16/17 x 50g balls Grey (M)
1 x 50g ball Teal (C)
1 pair each 3.25mm and 4mm needles
7 buttons (Buttons for Buttons see page 83
for stockist details)
Stitch holder
Row counter

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on
average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

22 sts and 30 rows to 10cm over patt using
4mm needles
Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to
obtain correct tension.

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POCKET LININGS (2 ALIKE)

Using 4mm needles and M, cast on 27 sts.

Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2: K1, p25, k1.

Rep these 2 rows 16 times more.

Break yarn and slip sts on a spare needle
and leave.

RIGHT FRONT

Using 3.25mm needles and C and the
thumb method, cast on 51(53/57/59/63/65) sts.
Break C. Join in M.

Row 1 (RS): K2, (p1, k1) to last st, k1.

Row 2: K1, (p1, k1) to end.

Rep the last 2 rows twice more,
then row 1 again.

Now p 1 row inc 1 st at side edge on 2nd, 4th
and 6th sts only: 51(54/57/60/63/66) sts. **

Change to 4mm needles and patt

Row 1 (RS): K3, (p1, k1, p1, k9) to last
12(16/6/9/12/15) sts, p1, k1, p1, k9(12/3/6/9/12) sts,
k to end.

Row 2: Purl.

These 2 rows form patt.

Work 34 more rows in patt.

Place pocket lining

Next row: Purl 15, * 1 st next 27 sts on a length
of yarn and leave and in place of these *p1,
k1, p1, (k9, p1, k1, p1) twice* across a group
of lining sts, patt to end.

Cont in patt until work measures 34cm
(13.78in) from beg, ending after a p row.

Shape front slope

Dec row: K1, sl, k1, pssso, patt to end.

Working 2 sts at front edge in st st on every
row cont working dec row on every foll 4th
row until 46(49/52/55/58/61) sts rem.

Work 2 rows straight thus ending at side edge.
(NB on left front work 1 row only here.)

Place a marker at centre of last row.

Shape armhole

Cast off 5(6/7/8/9/10) sts loosely at beg of
next row.

(NB on left front, now purl 1 row here.)

Working dec row at front edge as before on
foll 3rd row then on the foll 6th row at the

same time also dec 1 st at armhole edge
on next 5 rows, then on the 3 foll alt rows.
31(33/35/37/39/41) sts.

Cont working dec row at front edge only on
every 6th row from previous front dec row
until 25(27/28/30/31/33) sts rem.

Cont straight until front
measures 21(22/23/24/25/26)cm
(8.5/8.75/9/9.25/9.5/10/10.25in) from marker,
ending at armhole edge.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 8(9/9/10/10/11) sts at beg of next
and foll alt row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 9(9/10/10/11/11) sts.

LEFT FRONT

Work as right front to **.

Change to 4mm needles and patt

Row 1 (RS): K9(12/3/6/9/12), p1, k1, p1, * k9,
p1, k1, p1; rep from * to last 3 sts, k3.

Row 2: Purl.

Work 34 more rows in patt.

Place pocket lining

Next row: Purl 9(12/15/18/21/24), work as right
pocket row from * to end.

Complete to match right front noting that
front slope dec row will be - Purl to last 3 sts,
k2tog, k1.

BACK

Using 3.25mm needles and C and

the thumb method,

cast on 105(111/117/123/129/135) sts.

Break C. Join in M.

Work 7 rows in rib as on right front.

Now p 1 row.

Change to 4mm needles and patt

Row 1: K9(12/3/6/9/12), * p1, k1, p1, k9;
rep from * to last 12(15/6/9/12/15) sts, p1,
k1, p1, k to end.

Row 2: Purl.

Cont in patt as on these 2 rows until back
measures same as fronts to armhole

shaping, ending after a p row.

Shape armholes

Cast off 5(6/7/8/9/10) sts loosely at beg of
next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of next 5 rows, then
on the 3 foll alt rows. 79(83/87/91/95/99) sts

Cont straight until back measures same as
fronts to shoulder shaping, ending after a p row.

Shape shoulders

Cast off 8(9/9/10/10/11) sts at beg of next
4 rows, then 9(9/10/10/11/11) sts at beg of
next row.

Next row: Cast off 9(9/10/10/11/11) sts,
p to end dec 1 st at centre of row.

Slip rem 28(28/30/30/32/32) sts on to a stitch
holder and leave for back of neck.

SLEEVES

Using 3.25mm needles and C and the
thumb method, cast on 45(47/47/49/51/51) sts.
Break C. Join in M.

Instructions.

Work 7 rows in rib as on right front.
Now p 1 row inc 2(2+2+2) sts evenly across.
47(49-51-53-55) sts.

Change to 4mm needles and patt.

Row 1: k4(5+5+7-8), * p1, k1, p1, k9; rep from * to last 7(8+9+10+11) sts, p1, k1, p1, k to end.

Row 2: Purl.

Cont in patt shaping sleeve by inc 1 st at each end of foll 3rd row, then on every foll 6th(4th+4th+4th+4th) row until there are 57(58-59-79-93-101) sts then on every foll 6th row until there are 87(93-97-101-107-111) sts taking extra sts into patt.

Cont straight until sleeve meas:

44(47-47-48-48-49)cm 18(18.5-18.5-19-19-19.5)in from beg, ending after a p row.

Shape top

Cast off 5(6-7-8-9-10) sts loosely at beg of next 2 rows.

Dec 1 st at each end of every RS row until 47(51-51-51-55-55) sts rem, then on every row until 37(41-41-41-45-45) sts rem.

Cast off loosely.

POCKET TOPS

Slip a group of pocket sts onto a 3.25mm needle.

Join in M.

Beg row 1 for RS work 4 rows in rib as on right front.

Break M. Join in C and rib 1 more row.

Cast off **evenly** in rib.

All measurements are given in cm



49.5(52-54-57-54-5-62)



40(47-47-48-48-49)

FRONT BORDERS

First join shoulders.

Using 3.25mm needles and M, k across 14(14-15-15-16) sts from left half of back neck, now k up 89(93-95-99-101-105) sts **evenly** down left front neck to start of front slope, finally k up 106(106-105-105-106-106) sts **evenly** along remainder of left front edge, 209(213-215-219-223-227) sts.

Beg 2nd row for WS, work 3 rows in rib as on right front.

Next row (buttonhole row): Rib 106(110-112-116-120-124), (cast off 3 sts, rib 13 – including st on needle after cast-off) 6 times, cast off 3 sts, rib to end.

Next row: Work in rib casting on 3 sts **neatly** in each place where sts were cast off.

Rib 1 more row.

Break M. Join in C and rib 1 more row.

Cast off **evenly** in rib.

Commencing by picking up sts at lower right front edge, work 2nd border the same but omitting buttonholes.

TO FINISH OFF

Press work lightly on WS following pressing instructions. Sew down pocket lining on WS, and tops on RS. Sew in sleeve tops. Join side and sleeve seams.

Sew on buttons. Press seams. ●



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CARDIGAN SIZES

To fit age: 3-4(4-5-5-6-6-7-7-8) years

Actual measurement: 64(68-72-75-80)cm (25.25(26.75-28.25-30-31.5)in)

Length to shoulder: 34(37-40-43-46)cm (13.5(14.5-15.75-17-18)in)

Sleeve length: 27(30-33-35-38)cm (10.75(11.75-13-14-15)in)

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes; where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

MillaMilla Naturally Soft Merino 100% extra fine merino (approx 125m per 50g)
5(6;6-7) x 50g balls 101 Midnight (M)
1 x 50g ball of 142 Daisy Yellow (A)
1 x 50g ball of 122 Petal (B)
1 x 50g ball of 141 Grass (C)
1 x 50g ball of 143 Fuchsia (D)
1 x 50g ball of 144 Peacock (E)
1 pair each 2.75mm and 3.25mm needles
1 circular 2.75mm needle
6 buttons approx 1cm (.5in) diam
Row counter
Stitch holders

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm over st st using 3.25mm needles
Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

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PATTERN NOTES

40 row stripe sequence for sleeves:

2 rows M
6 rows A
2 rows M
6 rows B
2 rows M
6 rows C
2 rows M
6 rows D
2 rows M
6 rows E

BACK

With 2.75mm needles and M cast on
72(77;82;87;92) sts.

Row 1: P2, (k3, p2) to end.

Row 2: K2, (p3, k2) to end.

Rep last 2 rows 8 times more and then the first row once.

Next row (inc): Rib 5(3;5;3;5),
(m1, rib 7(5;8;9;9)) 9 times, m1, rib 4(2;5;3;6),
82(87;92;97;102) sts.

Change to 3.25mm needles.

Begin with a k row, cont in st st until Back meas
22(24;26;28;30)cm (8.75(9.5;10.25;11.75)in)
from cast on edge, ending with a p row.

Shape armholes

Cast off 4(4;5;5;6)sts at beg of next 2 rows.
74(79;82;87;90) sts.

Next row: K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows 5(6;6;7;7) times.

62(65;68;71;74) sts.

Cont in st st until back meas
34(37;40;43;46)cm (13.5(14.5;15.75;17.16)in)
from cast on edge, ending with a p row.

Shape shoulders

Cast off 8(8;9;9;10) sts at beg of next 2 rows
and 8(9;9;10;10) sts at beg of foll 2 rows.
Leave rem 30(31;32;33;34) sts on a holder.

LEFT FRONT

With 2.75mm needles and M cast on
35(35;40;40;45) sts.

Row 1: (P2, k3) to end.

Row 2: (P3, k2) to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 8 times more and then the first row once.

Next row (inc): Rib 3(3;4;5;4), (m1, rib
7(5;8;9;9)) 4(6;4;6;4) times, m1, rib 4(2;4;5;5),
40(42;45;47;50) sts.

Change to 3.25mm needles.

Begin with a k row, cont in st st until Front meas
22(24;26;28;30)cm (8.75(9.5;10.25;11.75)in)
from cast on edge, ending with a p row.

Shape armhole

Next row: Cast off 4(4;5;5;6) sts, k to end.

36(38;40;42;44) sts.

Next row: K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows 5(6;6;7;7) times.

24(24;26;26;28) sts.

Keeping armhole edge straight cont to
dec at neck edge on every 4th row until
16(17;18;19;20) sts rem.

Work straight until front matches back to
shoulder, ending at armhole edge.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 8(8;9;9;10) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 8(9;9;10;10) sts.

RIGHT FRONT

With 2.75mm needles and M cast on
35(35;40;40;45) sts.

Row 1: (K3, p2) to end.

Row 2: (K2, p3) to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 8 times more and then the first row once.

Next row (inc): Rib 4(2;4;5;5), (m1, rib
7(5;8;9;9)) 4(6;4;6;4) times, m1, rib 3(3;4;5;4),
40(42;45;47;50) sts.

Change to 3.25mm needles.

Begin with a k row, cont in st st until front meas
22(24;26;28;30)cm (8.75(9.5;10.25;11.75)in)
from cast on edge, ending with a k row.

Shape armhole

Next row: Cast off 4(4;5;5;6) sts, p to end.

36(38;40;42;44) sts.

Next row: Purl.

Next row: K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Rep the last 2 rows 5(6;6;7;7) times.

24(24;26;26;28) sts.

Keeping armhole edge straight cont to
dec at neck edge on every 4th row until
16(17;18;19;20) sts rem.

Work straight until front matches back to
shoulder, ending at armhole edge.

Shape shoulder

Cast off 8(8;9;9;10) sts at beg of next row.

Work 1 row.

Cast off rem 8(9;9;10;10) sts.

SLEEVES

With 2.75mm needles and M cast on
37(42;47;52;57) sts.

Row 1: P2, (k3, p2) to end.

Row 2: K2, (p3, k2) to end.

Rep the last 2 rows 16(17;19;20;22) times more.
Change to 3.25mm needles.

Begin with a k row, cont in st st and
commence stripe sequence.

Work 2 rows.

Next row (inc): K3, m1, k to last 3 sts, m1, k3.

Work 1 row.

Rep the last 2 rows 13(14;15;16;17) times
more and then the inc row again.

67(74;81;88;95) sts.

Cast straight until sleeve meas

27(30;33;36;39)cm.

(10.5(11.75;13;14.25;15.25)in) from cast on
edge, ending with a p row.

Shape sleeve top

Cast off 4(4;5;5;6) sts at beg of next 2 rows.

59(66;71;78;83) sts.

Next row: K2, skpo, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Next row: Purl.

Rep the last 2 rows 5(6;6;7;7) times.

47(52;57;62;67) sts.

Work 22(24;26;28;30) rows straight.

Next row: K2(2;3;3;4), (k2 tog)

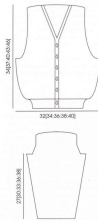
22(24;26;28;30) times, M(2;2;3;3)

25(28;31;34;37) sts.

Next row: P2(1;2;2), (p2 tog)

11(13;14;16;17) times, p1, M(15;17;18;20) sts.

Cast off.



Instructions

FRONT BAND

Join shoulder seams.
With RS facing, using 2.75mm circular needle and M, pick up and k6(71-76-81-86) sts up right front edge, to beg of neck shaping, 35(37-39-41-43) sts along right front neck edge, 30(31-32-33-34) sts from back neck, pick up and k35(37-39-41-43) sts down left front neck edge to beg of neck shaping, 66(71-76-81-86) sts along left front edge, 232(247-262-277-292) sts.

Rib row 1: P2, (k3, p2) to end.

This row sets the rib.

Buttonhole row: Rib 3, [work 2tog, ym, slt 9(10-11-12-13)] 5 times, work 2tog, ym, slt to end.

Rib 3 more rows.

Cast off in rib.

TO FINISH OFF

Join side and sleeve seams.
Sew in sleeves. Sew on buttons.

SOCKS

SIZES

To fit: 3-4(5-6) years

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes: where there is only one set of figures that applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

MillaMia Naturally Soft Merino

100% extra fine merino

(approx 125m per 50g)

1 x 50g ball of 101 Midnight (M)

1 x 50g ball of 142 Daisy Yellow (A)

1 x 50g ball of 122 Petal (B)

1 x 50g ball of 141 Grass (C)

1 x 50g ball of 143 Fuchsia (D)

1 x 50g ball of 144 Peacock (E)

1 set each 2.75mm and 3.25mm

double-pointed needles

Safety pin

Row counter

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

25 sts and 34 rows to 10cm over st using

3.25mm needles

Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS

Dps = double pointed needles

For more abbreviations see page 83

PATTERN NOTES

When working in the round on dps, to create a st effect all rows are knitted unless otherwise stated. Arrange the sts over these needles using the spare needle to knit.

Stripe patt

10(12) rows each of M, B, M, D, M.

SOCKS

With 3.25mm dps and D, cast on 40(44) sts. Arrange these sts on 3 needles and cont in rounds.

Rib rnd: K2, p2 to end.

Rib a further 7(9) rnds.

Join on M and begin stripe patt.

Knit 24(28) rnds.

Next rnd (dec): K6, k2tog, k to last 8 sts.

skpo, k6, 36(42) sts

Knit 7(9) rnds.

Next rnd (dec): K5, k2tog, k to last 7 sts.

skpo, k5, 36(40) sts

Knit 7(9) rnds.

Next rnd (dec): K4, k2tog, k to last 6 sts.

skpo, k4, 34(38) sts

Knit 7(9) rnds.

Next rnd (dec): K3, k2tog, k to last 5 sts.

skpo, k3, 32(36) sts

Next rnd: Knit.

Divide sts onto 3 needles as folls:

sl first 9(10) sts onto dpn1, 7(8) sts onto

dpn2 and 7(8) sts onto dpn3.

slip last 9(10) sts onto other end of dpn1.

Shape heel

With RS facing, join C to 18(20) sts on dpn1.

Work back and forth on these 18(20) sts only.

Begin with a k row, work 10 rows of st.

**** Next row:** K13(15), skpo, turn.

Next row: Sl, p8(10), p2 tog, turn.

Next row: Sl, k8(10), skpo, turn.

Next row: Sl, p8(10), p2 tog, turn.

Rep the last 2 rows twice more. 10(12) sts.

Break off C.

Reset sts onto 3 needles as folls: sl first

5(6) sts of heel sts onto a safety-pin, place

marker here to indicate beg of round.

Join B to rem sts, with dpn1 k5(6), then pick

up and k8 sts along side of heel, with dpn2

k14(16), with dpn3 pick up and k8 sts along

other side of heel, k5(6) from safety-pin.

40(44) sts.

Cont in rounds.

Knit 1 round.

Next rnd (dec): K11(12), k2tog, k14(16).

k2tog tbi, k11(12), 38(42) sts

Knit 1 round.

Next rnd (dec): K10(11), k2tog, k14(16).

k2tog tbi, k10(11), 36(40) sts

Knit 1 round.

Next rnd (dec): K9(10), k2tog, k14(16).

k2tog tbi, K9(10), 34(38) sts

Knit 1 round.

Next rnd (dec): K8(9), k2tog, k14(16).

k2tog tbi, k8(9), 32(36) sts.

Work straight until foot meas 10(12)cm

[4(4.75)in] from **.

Break off B.

Join on M.

Work 10 rnds.

Break off M.

Join on D.

Work 3 rnds.

Break off D.

Join on C.

Shape toes

Next rnd (dec): K5(6), k2tog, k2, skpo, k10(12), k2tog, k2, skpo, k5(6), 28(32) sts

Knit 1 rnd.

Next rnd (dec): K4(5), k2tog, k2, skpo, k8(10), k2tog, k2, skpo, k4(5), 24(28) sts

Knit 1 rnd.

Next rnd (dec): K3(4), k2tog, k2, skpo, k6(8), k2tog, k2, skpo, k3(4), 20(24) sts

Knit 1 rnd.

Next rnd (dec): K2(3), k2tog, k2, skpo, k4(6), k2tog, k2, skpo, k2(3), 16(20) sts

Knit 1 rnd.

Sl first 4(5) sts onto dpn1, next 8(10) sts onto

dpn3 and rem 4(5) sts onto end of dpn1.

Fold sock inside out and cast 1 st from each

needle off together. ●





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SIZES

To fit age:
 0-3-6-9-12-18-24-36 months

Actual measurement:

25(26-27-28-29-30-31)cm
 10(10-10.5-11-11.5-12-12.5)in

Length: 27(28-30-32-33-34-35-36)cm
 10.5(11-12-12.5-13-13.5-14)in

Sleeve length: 11(13-15-16-18-20-22-25)cm
 4.5(5-5.5-6-6.5-7-8-8.5-10)in

Figures in square brackets refer to larger sizes, where there is only one set of figures this applies to all sizes.

YOU WILL NEED

Rowan Denim DK 100% cotton

(approx 93m to 50g)

4(4.5-5-5.5-6) x 50g balls 229 Memphis

1 pair each 3.25 and 4mm needles

5 buttons

Stitch markers

2 stitch holders

Note: Yarn amounts given are based on average requirements and are approximate.

TENSION

20 sts and 26 rows to 10cm over st at using 4mm needles (before washing)

Note: Denim will shrink in length when washed for the first time. Allowances have been made in the pattern for shrinkage (see size diagram for after-washing measurements). Use larger or smaller needles if necessary to obtain correct tension.

ABBREVIATIONS SEE PAGE 83

BACK

With 3.25mm needles cast on
 50(52-54-56-58-60-62) sts.

Row 1 (RS): K0(0-0-1-0-0-0), p0(1-2-2-0-1-2), *k2, p2, rep from * to last 2(3-0-1-2-3-0) sts, k2(2-0-1-2-2-0), p0(1-0-0-0-1-0).

Row 2: P0(0-0-1-0-0-0), k0(1-2-2-0-1-2), *p2, k2, rep from * to last 2(3-0-1-2-3-0) sts, p2(2-0-1-2-2-0), k0(1-0-0-0-1-0).

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont in rib for a further 10(10-12-12-14-14) rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 4mm needles.

Beg with a k row, work in st st until Back

meas 16(16.5-17.5-19-20-21-21.5)cm

(6.25(6.5-6.75-7.5-7.75-8.25-8.5)in).

ending with RS facing for next row.

Shape raglan armholes

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.

44(44.5-52-54-56-58) sts.

Next row (RS): K2, sl, k1, pss, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Next row: Knit.

Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Rep last 4 rows 0(1-1-2-2-3-3) times more.

44(44.5-46-46-48-48-50) sts.

Next row (RS): K2, sl, k1, pss, k to last 4 sts, k2tog, k2.

Next row: K2, p to last 2 sts, k2.

Rep last 2 rows 13(13-13-13-13-13) times more, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off rem 16(18-18-20-20-22-22) sts.

POCKET LININGS (MAKE 2)

Using 4mm needles cast on

14(16-16-18-18-20) sts.

Beg with a k row, work in st st for

16(16-18-18-20-22) rows,

ending with RS facing for next row.

Break yarn and leave sts on a holder.

LEFT FRONT

With 3.25mm needles cast on

25(26-27-28-29-30-31) sts.

Row 1 (RS): K0(0-0-1-0-0-0), p0(1-2-2-0-1-2),

*k2, p2, rep from * to last st, k1.

Row 2: P1, k2, *p2, k2, rep from * to

last 2(3-0-1-2-3-0) sts, p2(2-0-1-2-2-0),

k0(1-0-0-0-1-0).

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont in st st for a further 10(10-12-12-14-14) rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 4mm needles.

Beg with a k row, work in st st for

16(16-18-18-20-22) rows, ending with RS

facing for next row.

Place pocket

Next row (RS): K6(5-5-5-5-5), slip next

14(16-16-18-18-20) sts onto a holder and, in

their place, k across 14(16-16-18-18-20) sts

of first pocket lining, k5.

Cont in st st until Left Front matches Back to

beg of raglan armhole shaping, ending with

RS facing for next row.

Shape raglan armhole

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next row.

23(24-25-26-27-28) sts.

Work 1 row.

Working all raglan armhole decs in same way as given for Back raglan armholes, dec 1 st at raglan armhole edge of next and 1(2-2-3-3-4-4) foll 4th rows, then on foll 7(5-5-5-5-5) all rows, ending with WS facing for next row. 14(16-16-17-18-19) sts.

Shape neck

Cast off 5(5-5-5-5-5) sts at beg of next row.

9(11-11-13-13-13) sts.

Dec 1 st at neck edge of next 3 rows, then

on foll 0(1-1-2-2-2) all rows and at some

time dec 1 st at raglan armhole edge of

next and foll 1(2-2-2-3-3) all rows, 4 sts.

Next row (WS): P2, k2.

Next row: K1, sl, k2tog, pss.

Next row: K2.

Next row: K2tog and fasten off.

RIGHT FRONT

Using 3.25mm needles cast on

25(26-27-28-29-30-31) sts.

Row 1 (RS): K1, p2, *k2, p2, rep from *

to last 2(3-0-1-2-3-0) sts, k2(2-0-1-2-2-0),

p0(1-0-0-0-1-0).

Row 2: P0(0-0-1-0-0-0), k0(1-2-2-0-1-2),

*p2, k2, rep from * to last st, p1.

These 2 rows form rib.

Cont in st st for a further

10(10-12-12-14-14) rows,

ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 4mm needles.

Beg with a k row, work in st st for

16(16-18-18-20-22) rows, ending with RS

facing for next row.

Place pocket

Next row (RS): K5, slip next

14(16-16-18-18-20) sts onto a holder and, in

their place, k across 14(16-16-18-18-20)

sts of second pocket lining, k5(5-5-5-5-5).

Complete to match Left Front,

reversing shapings.

SLEEVES

Using 3.25mm needles cast on

26(28-28-30-30-32-32) sts.

Row 1 (RS): P2(1-1-2-2-1-1), *k2, p2, rep from *

to last 0(3-0-0-3-3) sts, (k2, p1)

0(1-0-0-0-1) times.

Row 2: K2(1-1-2-2-1-1), *p2, k2,

rep from * to last 0(3-0-0-3-3) sts,

(p2, k1) 0(1-0-0-0-1) times.

These 2 rows form rib.

Work in st st for a further 10(10-12-12-14-14)

rows, ending with RS facing for next row.

Change to 4mm needles.

Beg with a k row, work in st st, shaping

sides by inc 1 st at each end of next

next next next next 3rd 3rd and

every foll alt(alt alt alt alt 4th 4th) row to

44(48-48-54-54-58) sts, then on every foll

=(4th 4th 4th 4th 4th 4th) row until these are

44(48-50-52-54-56) sts.

Cont straight until Sleeve meas

13(16-19-21-23-25-26-29)cm

(5(5-5.5-6-6.5-7-7.5-8)in).

ending with RS facing for next row.

Instructions

Shape raglan

Cast off 2 sts at beg of next 2 rows.
40 [42-44-46-50-52] sts.
Working all raglan decs in same way as given for back raglan armholes, dec 1 st at each end of next and 3 foll 4th rows, then on every foll alt row until 20 sts rem.

Work 1 row, ending with RS facing for next row.

Left sleeve only

Dec 1 st at each end of next row, then cast off 4 sts at beg of foll row. 14 sts.
Dec 1 st at beg of next row, then cast off 4 sts at beg of foll row. 9 sts.

Right sleeve only

Cast off 5 sts at beg and dec 1 st at end of next row. 14 sts.

Work 1 row.

Cast off 4 sts at beg and dec 1 st at end of next row. 9 sts.

Work 1 row.

Both sleeves

Rep last 2 rows once more, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off rem 4 sts.

MAKING UP

Do NOT press.

Join all raglan seams using back stitch, or mattress stitch if preferred.

BUTTON BAND

With 3.25mm needles cast on 7 sts.

Work in g-st until band, when slightly stretched, fits up front opening edge (left front for a girl or right front for a boy) from cast-on edge to neck shaping, ending with RS facing for next row.

Cast off.

Slip stitch band in place.

Mark positions for 5 buttons on this band – first button to come 3cm (1.25in) up from cast-on edge, top button to come 3cm (1.25in) below neck shaping and rem 3 buttons evenly spaced between.

Buttonhole band

Work to match button band, with the addition of 5 buttonholes worked to corresp

with positions marked for buttons as foll:

Buttonhole row (RS): K3, cast off 2 sts (to make a buttonhole – cast on 2 sts over these cast-off sts on next row), k to end.
Slip stitch this band in place.

COLLAR

Using 3.25mm needles cast on 7 sts.

Row 1 (RS): Knit.

Row 2: K1, inc in next st, k to last 3 sts, inc in next st, k2.

Rep last 2 rows 4 times more. 17 sts.

Row 11: Knit.

Row 12: K1, inc in next st, k to end.

Rep last 2 rows 7 times more. 25 sts.

Place marker of beg of last row.

Cont in g-st until collar, unstretched, fits from top of front band, around neck edge and across to centre back neck, ending with RS facing for next row.

Place second marker of beg of last row.

Cont straight until work meas same from second marker as between first and second markers, ending with WS facing for next row.

Next row (WS): K1, k2tog, k to end.

Next row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 7 times more. 17 sts.

Next row (RS): K1, k2tog, k to last 3 sts, k2tog, k1.

Next row: Knit.

Rep last 2 rows 4 times more. 7 sts.

Cast off.

POCKET TOPS (BOTH ALIKE)

Slip 14 [16-18-18-20-20] sts from pocket holder onto 3.25mm needles and rejoin yarn with RS facing.

Work in g-st for 5 rows,

ending with WS facing for next row.

Cast off k-wise (on WS).

Machine wash all pieces before completing sewing together. Once washed and dried, join side and sleeve seams. Sew marked edge of collar to neck edge, matching cast-on and cast-off edges to top of front bands. Sew on buttons. Sew pockets in position. ●

All measurements are given in cm

11 [13.5: 16: 18: 20: 22.5: 25]



25 [26: 27: 28: 29: 30: 31]

27 [28.5: 30: 32: 33: 34.5: 35.5]



MATCH THE SWATCH

To match the sizes and measurements given in our patterns you must make a tension swatch (gauge) before knitting the project. If your swatch turns out larger than ours, try again using smaller needles. If it is too small, try larger needles.

SEWING UP

- 1 Before you sew knitted pieces together, pin the pieces flat to the measurements given on our diagrams.
- 2 Steam press, lightly steam or spray lightly with water depending on washing instructions on the ball band.
- 3 Allow pieces to cool and dry before sewing up.
- 4 To sew up use the yarn you knitted with. Or, if the yarn is textured and hard to sew, use a smooth matching yarn – cotton with cotton, wool with wool, etc.
- 5 Many garments can be made up by sewing shoulder seams first, then setting in sleeve head to armhole then comparing by sewing along the long seam of the sides and sleeves. Each pattern has extra tips where necessary.
- 6 Dam in all ends and finish seams by lightly steaming from wrong side, provided the yarn can be steamed.

CHOOSING ALTERNATIVE YARNS

- 1 Choose a modern yarn that you like, with a similar look, composition and weight to the one in the old pattern.
- 2 Knit a tension swatch (gauge) and compare it to the one given in the pattern. If they both come out to the same size, you're onto a winner!
- 3 Calculate how much yarn to buy. Many patterns tell you the length of yarn in each ball as well as the weight. So if the pattern uses 10 balls of 130 metres per ball, you know you need up to 1,300 metres of yarn. Check the length per ball of your new yarn and divide the total yarn length by the length in 1 ball to get the number of balls you need to make the item.
- 4 Compare the total weight of each yarn length. For example if the original pattern had 10 balls of 50g each, the total weight would be 500g. Now that you have worked out how many balls of new yarn you are buying, just multiply the number of balls by the weight per ball. That should roughly match the 500g total that you had for the old yarn. It's just another way to check that you are on the right track.
- 5 Use this same method to substitute yarns for modern patterns, where the yarn is too expensive or difficult to obtain, or if you just want to use up yarn in your stash.

NEEDLE KNOW-HOW

Metric (mm)	Old UK	USA	Metric (mm)	Old UK	USA
2	14	0	5	6	8
2.25	13	1	5.5	5	9
2.5	–	–	6	4	10
2.75	12	2	6.5	3	10.5
3	11	–	7	2	–
3.25	10	3	7.5	1	–
3.5	–	4	8	0	11
3.75	9	5	9	00	13
4	8	6	10	000	15
4.5	7	7			

ABBREVIATIONS

knit and crochet specific	kfb	knit front and back (knit into the front and back of the next stitch – to increase)
alt alternate, alternating		
beg beginning	k-wise	knit-wise (as if to knit)
dec decrease(s)	k2tog	knit 2 together (knit next two stitches together as one – to decrease)
CC decreased, decreasing		
CC1/2/3 contrast colour (sometimes known as C)	m1	make 1 (make one stitch by picking up and knitting the horizontal 'bar' between the current stitch and the next stitch – to increase one stitch)
c/c circular		
corresp correspond(ing)		
cont continue, continues, continuing	m-st	mosaic stitch (on first row – (k1, p1) to end; on foll rows, k over p sts and p over k sts)
DK double-knitting	nl(2:3)	needle (2:3)
DPN(s) double-pointed needle(s)	p-wise	put-wise (as if to put)
est establish(ed)	pat(s)	pattern(s)
foll follow, following	pat2 log	pattern 2 together (work next two stitches together as one, keeping in pattern – to decrease)
folls follows		
inc increase(s), increased, increasing	p2tog	purl 2 together (purl next two stitches together as one – to decrease)
LH left-hand (side)		
lp(s) loop(s)	skpo	slip, knit, pass over (slip the next stitch, knit the following stitch, then pass the slipped stitch over the knitted stitch – to decrease one stitch)
PM place marker (place stitch marker at this point)	slk	slip, slip knit (slip one stitch, slip the next stitch, then knit both stitches together)
MC main colour (sometimes known as M)	psso	pass slipped stitch over stocking stitch (purl on RS rows, purl on WS rows), also known as stockinette stitch
meas measure(s), measuring	st st	reverse stocking stitch (purl on RS, knit on WS)
mult multiple(s)		
pat(s) pattern(s)	ykn	yarn over needle (like yo, but specific to knitting)
RH right-hand (side)	y2m	yarn wrapped twice around needle
rep repeating		
reps repeats		
rev reverse, reversing		
rnd round		
rem remain(s), remaining		
RS(s) right side(s)		
SH(s) stitch holder(s)		
sk skip		
sts stitch(es)		
sp(s) space(s)		
tbl through back loop (work into back loop only)		
tl through front loop (work into front loop only)		
WS(s) wrong side(s)		
yl yarn forward (also known as yfwd)		
ylb yarn to back (bring yarn to back of work)		
ylf yarn to front (bring yarn to front of work)		
yo yarn over (bring the yarn over the needle or hook, frequently used to make a new stitch in lacework)		
0 no stitches or times		
Knit specific only		
g-st garter stitch (every row knit)		